



HOWARD MOGGO DAY — Howard Moggo, who retired from the city after 35 years, received a resolution from city manager Jerry Morford proclaiming March 29 as Howard Moggo Day in Grayling. The Grayling City Council honored Moggo with the day for his 35 years of dedicated service. (Jon Thompson Photo)

It's News Here!

Warrants Expected for B & E Suspects

Two Camp Shawono 16-year-olds are suspects in break-ins March 18 and 19 in Grayling Township. The Crawford County Sheriff Dept. is seeking warrants for the two in connection with four break-ins of travel trailers at Pine Knoll March 18 and a break in March 19 at a home along M-72. Two vehicles were also damaged from attempted car theft, police say. The sheriff department is still investigating but believe all the items taken in the break-ins have been recovered.

Cuthbert Appointed Grand Traverse Social Services Director

Beverly J. Cuthbert, of Grayling, has been appointed the Director of Grand Traverse County Department of Social Services by Dr. Agnes M. Mansour, Director of the Michigan Department of Social Services. Ms. Cuthbert will begin her new duties following her return from vacation on April 15th. Cuthbert, 43, has served as County Director of the Crawford County Department of Social Services since November, 1981. Prior service in the Michigan Department of Social Services includes nine years in program training and staff development at the state level, and eight years as a program supervisor and as Acting County Director in Eaton County.

Efforts will begin immediately by the Crawford County Social Services Board and the Michigan Department of Social Services FSA-Zone 2 Manager to secure a replacement for Cuthbert in the Crawford County Department of Social Services. State statutes require that all County Director appointments be made by the State Director of the Michigan Department of Social Services, upon recommendation from a County Social Services Board and Zone Manager. An Acting Director will be appointed in the next few days to serve during the interim period.

School Board Filing Petition Deadline Set for April 8th

The deadline for filing nominating petitions for the two Board of Education positions for the Crawford AuSable School District is April 8th, at 4:00 p.m. Forms should be returned to 403 Michigan Avenue, Grayling. Nominating petitions are available at the Board of Education office.

High School Blood Bank Wednesday

All the early readers of the Avalanche still have time to go to the Blood Bank at the Grayling High School Wednesday, March 27. Dial-A-Ride will pick up blood donors at no cost. Call 348-5409 for a free ride to and from the blood bank.

United Way Funding Application Deadline Set at May 1st

The Crawford County United Way Board of Directors wishes to remind tax-exempt organizations that the final date to submit a funding proposal will be May 1st. For an application, or further information, contact John Cherven at 348-2554 or P.O. Box 571, Grayling, MI 49738.

Masons To Meet April 4th

Grayling Lodge 356 will Reopen April 4th with a Regular Communications Dinner at 6:00 p.m. Lodge will open at 7:30 p.m. All Masons welcome.

Range Firing Conducted

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling during the period 27 Mar 85 thru 3 April 85. The Range 40 Complex located north of County Rd 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd 618, and west of County Rd F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin at 8:00 AM (Daily) 27 Mar 85 and cease at 5:00 PM (Daily) 3 Apr 85. The ranges will be closed to the public during these periods and all persons are warned to keep out of the areas identified.

Our Weather
(Courtesy of Chuck Pick)

Mar.	Hi	Lo	Snow
19	49	20	14.5
20	34	12	14.0
21	40	4	13.0
22	52	18	11.5
23	48	24	10.0
24	36	24	12.5
25	44	12	9.0

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County Bounces In, Out of Debt

By Jon Thompson

Crawford County, coming off two straight years of deficits, is headed in that direction again for 1985.

The county pulled its head briefly out of water on February 14th of this year, but by February 20th it was again headed for a deficit.

Here's a brief look at how the county slipped in and out of deficit during the last three and a half months:

Dec. 18, 1984

County commissioners anticipate no deficit for 1984 after transferring \$50,000 from county tax delinquent fund.

Dec. 27, 1984

Commissioners allocate another \$5,000 to airport out of 1985 budget, the \$5,000 is taken from the 1985 budget stabilization fund reducing it from \$21,258 to \$16,258.

Jan. 31, 1985

County learns 1984 deficit is still \$21,517. The 1985 budget stabilization fund has only \$16,258 — not enough to cover the 1984 debt — leaving a projected \$5,259 deficit for 1985.

The county is bailed out of debt, however, when \$35,000 in unanticipated funds arrive through revenue sharing. Instead of a projected \$5,259 debt, the county now has an extra \$29,741 in the 1985 budget stabilization fund.

Feb. 14, 1985

County receives an unexpected rebate of \$5,844 from Four Mile Road project. The 1985 budget stabilization fund grows to \$35,585.

Commissioners buy two unbudgeted police cars for \$23,156, two unbudgeted typewriters for \$1,600, and give the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce \$500. The stabilization fund is at \$10,328.

Feb. 20, 1985

County hires an attorney to negotiate four union contracts. Union personnel estimate his fees could be about \$10,800, estimating 15 days of work. The cost of the attorney would put the stabilization fund at a \$471 deficit if his fees are \$10,800.

March 12, 1985

A courthouse renovation project estimated between \$9,000 and \$8,000 is approved. Commissioners okay \$2,000 as Crawford's share of an incinerator feasibility study. (Crawford's amount will likely be reduced to about \$1,428 because another county wants to join in the study along with Crawford and five others.) Both items were not in the 1985 budget.

The county commissioners held a special committee meeting with department heads Friday to discuss 1985 budget problems and look for long range solutions. New budget cuts proposed by President Reagan would cut federal revenue sharing by as much as \$200,000 in Crawford County.

These were among the money-saving ideas submitted to commissioners by county employees:

Notify the Transportation Authority that you must withdraw what is left of your \$30,000.00 airport appropriation, and suggest to the Authority that it petition the Board immediately for a special election for airport funding. The election will cost much less than the appropriation, and resolve the problem once and for all. Airport overspending, which has run as high as \$50,000.00 in one year, has made it necessary for the County to cut back on vital services and run into deficit.

Consider offering employees who waive county hospitalization an incentive - .15¢ per hour "in lieu of" for example. On a 35-hour week, that would cost \$273 per year for such an employee, as opposed to the average \$2,000 per year for hospitalization. Some employees are carrying two coverages, and might be induced to change to a spouse's plan if a reason- See County on Page 8

District Seeks 3-Yr. Millage

By Jon Thompson

The Crawford AuSable School District is requesting a three year millage in a special election Tuesday, April 2.

The millage request is for 17.9 mills - a renewal of 16.9 mills plus one mill for operational purposes.

Crawford AuSable Superintendent Kent Reynolds says the 17.9 mills will allow the school district to continue operations at the same level. The 17.9 mills would be a return to 1979-82 levels. The school board reduced the millage in 1982 by one mill and now they're asking for the one mill back to continue current services.

The school board opted for a special election April 2 instead of waiting for the annual June school election to try to beat a deadline for collecting summer taxes.

If voters approve the three-year millage request on April 2, the district can levy summer taxes and save about \$100,000 in interest.

Without summer taxes, school districts are forced to borrow to operate until winter taxes come in. A June election would be too late to collect summer taxes this year.

District voters go to three polling places Tuesday, at the Grayling Middle School gym, the Frederic Township Hall, and the Lovells Township Hall.

Lawsuit Filed Against Proposed Road Widening

By Jon Thompson

Shirley and Norm Schmooch, of Grayling, have filed a lawsuit against the Crawford County Road Commission asking that road crews be prohibited from widening a road along their land.

The lawsuit, filed in 46th Circuit Court March 21, says the county road commission is building a road across their property along AuSable Trail without permission, and clearing for the road began about 9 a.m. March 21.

The Schmoochs claim the road commission has no legal right to trespass on their property except to use the portion of AuSable Trail 24 feet wide commonly used for ingress and egress.

They say in the lawsuit that the road commission offered no just compensation nor relief for the land and they found no record of the road commission filing an easement for road purposes in the Crawford County Abstract Office.

The Schmoochs also say the road commission is disregarding pertinent legal decisions with similar cases such as Laug

versus the Ottawa County Road Commission. In that decision, the court ruled "that when a highway is appropriated for public use by the principal of user, there is a statutory presumption that such a road is 66 feet wide, but that this presumption is rebuttable unless it can be shown that the owner of the land expressly or impliedly agreed that the roadway was to be 66 feet wide. In cases where the presumption is rebutted, the roadway is restricted to that area actually appropriated and used for road purposes."

The Schmooch lawsuit says the roadway proposed by the county road commission will make their property uninhabitable, it will cause immediate economic harm, and will cause mental anguish.

The lawsuit asks that the road commission be prohibited from entering and destroying their property.

The Schmoochs are not represented by an attorney in the lawsuit.

John Keir, Crawford County Road Commission Engineer/Manager, said the road commission had not been served papers yet and he could not comment on the lawsuit.

CCTA Director Refuses Raise Given By Board

By Jon Thompson

David Frederick, director of the Crawford County Transportation Authority, refused a \$4,800 raise given to him by the CCTA board last month.

At the regular meeting of the CCTA Wednesday, March 20, Frederick said he is right in the middle of a fourth audit of the Dial-A-Ride system for the fiscal years 1981-82 and 1982-83 before he took over leadership. Frederick said the problems auditors are finding could be more extensive than expected and an important showdown with the state concerning responsibility for mismanagement of funds could be forthcoming.

"I'm the only one who can put the paperwork through on the raise," Frederick said. "I have not and I'm not going to do it. Right now finishing these other things is more important. I don't want the petty, Mickey Mouse crap associated with the raise to get in the way of resolving more important issues."

Frederick says he intends on remaining with the system long enough to resolve these issues, but he recommended the CCTA advertise the director position and interview qualified applicants. Frederick said he would not apply for the position but would not unequivocally state that he would turn down the job if it were offered to him.

The board voted 5-0 to take no action and table Frederick's recommendations. Jerry Morford, who made the motion, said he didn't think it was right for a board with two interim members (Arnold Stancil and Monica Stephan-Ashton from Grayling Township) and an alternate (William Ruddy filling in for Bernie Fowler from the county) to take action right now.

Mary Harland, chairwoman of the county board of commissioners and one of three persons attending the CCTA meeting, found it strange so much community interest was placed on the director's salary increase than on the investigation that is really cost-

ing the county.

Frederick started as director of the CCTA on December 5, 1983, taking over duties previously held by Dial-A-Ride manager Chet Johnston.

Frederick was appointed by the board, who did not advertise the position, and the CCTA set his salary at \$19,200.

The wages went to White Pine Aviation, Inc., a business owned by Frederick. Jeannette Kitchen said his salary was placed lower than the previous manager who earned about \$21,000 with fringe benefits added in. Frederick had no fringe benefits.

Kitchen said she and Morford were selected as a committee to look at the director's salary. They arrived at the \$24,000 recommendation plus fringe benefits after looking at pay scales for other systems, Frederick's efficient work, his putting in excess of 60 hours with frequent seven day weeks, his knowledge of equipment, his knowledge of airport operations, his ability to effectively communicate both verbally and in correspondence, and his changes in the system that saved taxpayers \$30,000 in state funds, \$7,000 in federal funds, and \$90,000 in local funds during his one year tenure.

Morford said Frederick should have received a raise in December, 1984. Frederick's salary of \$19,200 is paid 87 percent from state and federal transportation funds, 13 percent from fare box revenues of Dial-A-Ride, and 20 percent from county Dial-A-Ride millage. His responsibilities as airport manager were given to him a few months after he was hired as CCTA director and he was given no extra pay for his airport duties — in effect volunteering his work as airport manager.

Morford said there is only one other county in the state that has a combined Dial-A-Ride and airport director and that position in Chippewa County has a salary of \$32,000.

Road Commission Lists 17 Miles Of Road Projects

By Jon Thompson

The Crawford County Road Commission has listed more than 17 miles of county roads as possible 1985 paving or re-paving projects.

The longest stretch of road on the list is a little more than four miles of Chase Bridge Road from M-18 to Pere Cheney Road. The proposed project calls for re-paving Chase Bridge Road at a width of 22 feet.

Other re-paving projects on the list for 1985 are Sherman Road, Old 27, Roberts Road, and Old Lake Road.

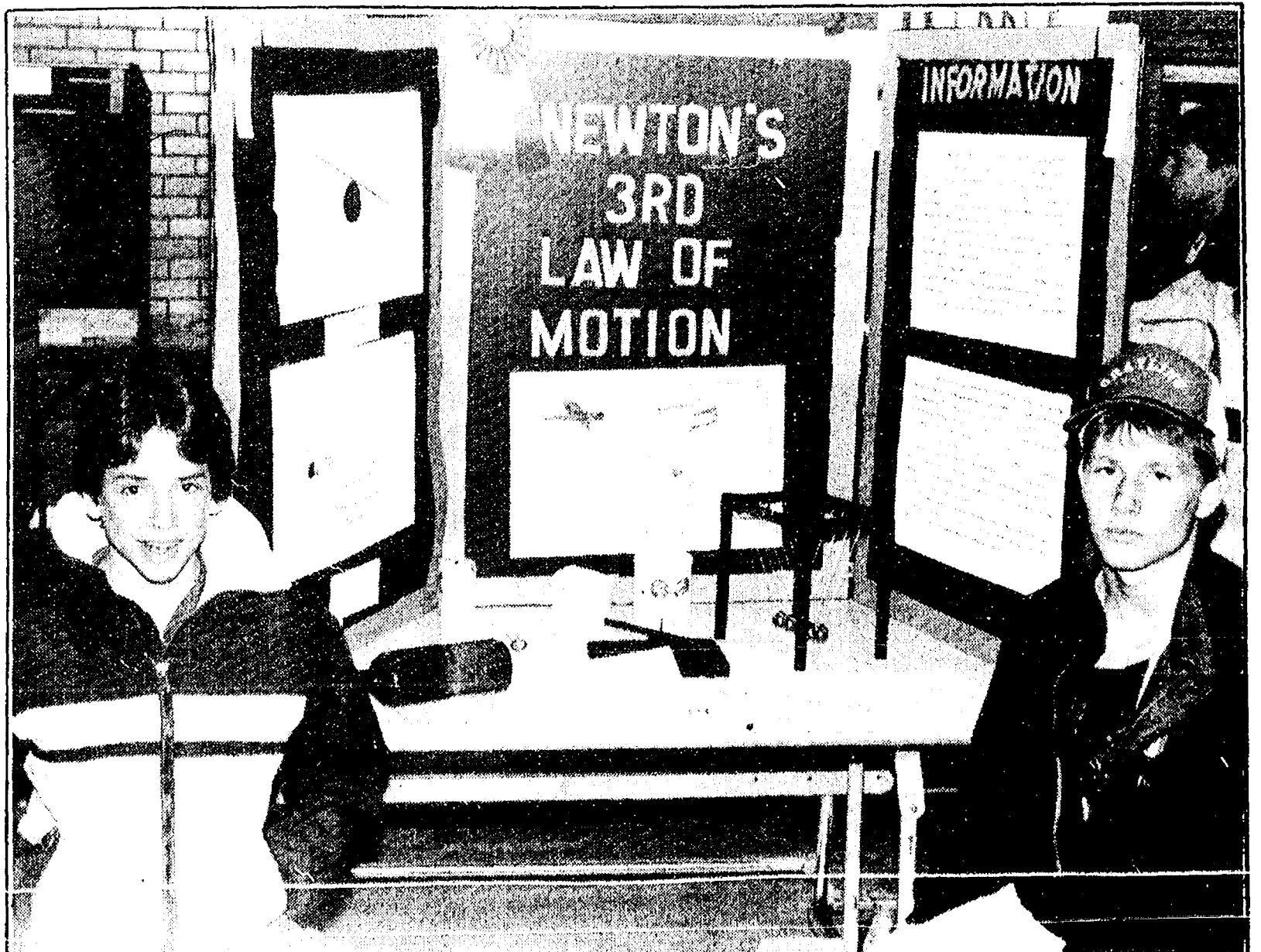
On Sherman Road, 1.4 miles from County Road 612 to House Road is proposed for re-paving. On Old 27, 2.25 miles from the Big Wheel to Fletcher Road is proposed for re-paving. On Old Lake Road, a half mile from M-72 through Karen Woods is proposed for re-paving. The width of the re-surfacing on those three projects is 22 feet.

On Roberts Road, .7 miles from North Down River Road north is proposed for re-paving. The width of the re-surfacing on Roberts will be 20 feet.

Seven gravel roads in the county are on the list as possible paving projects for 1985.

The longest stretch among these proposed projects is a two mile length of AuSable Trail from M-72 to Pollack Bridge. Hiawatha Trail from County Road 612 north has 1.34 miles of paving proposed. Arrowhead Road from M 72 to Timberidge has 1.1 miles of paving proposed. Petersen or Rabbitt Road from County Road 612 to Feldhauser Road has 1.1 miles of paving proposed.

Jones Lake Road from AuSable Woods to the "Y" has 1.09 miles of paving proposed. May Lake Road from Old 27 to County Road 612 has one mile of paving proposed. Roy L. Estates Road has three quarters of a mile of paving proposed from Fletcher Road north. All of these projects has a proposed width of 20 feet of paving.



SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS — John Kraus, left, and Derrick Christman, both eighth graders, were among four first-place winners at the annual Crawford AuSable Science Fair. Placing behind Kraus and Christman at the middle school level were Janie Brankov and Todd Neely, 6th graders, Carrie Seidler, 6th grade, and Eric Alma and David Myeas, 7th graders. High school and elementary winners are shown inside. (Jon Thompson Photo)

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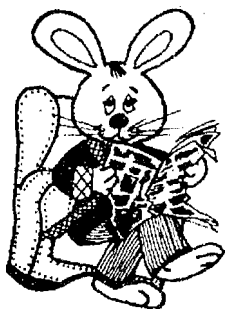
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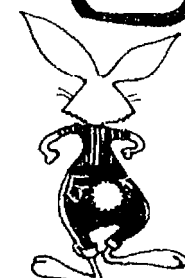
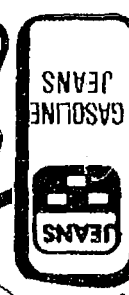
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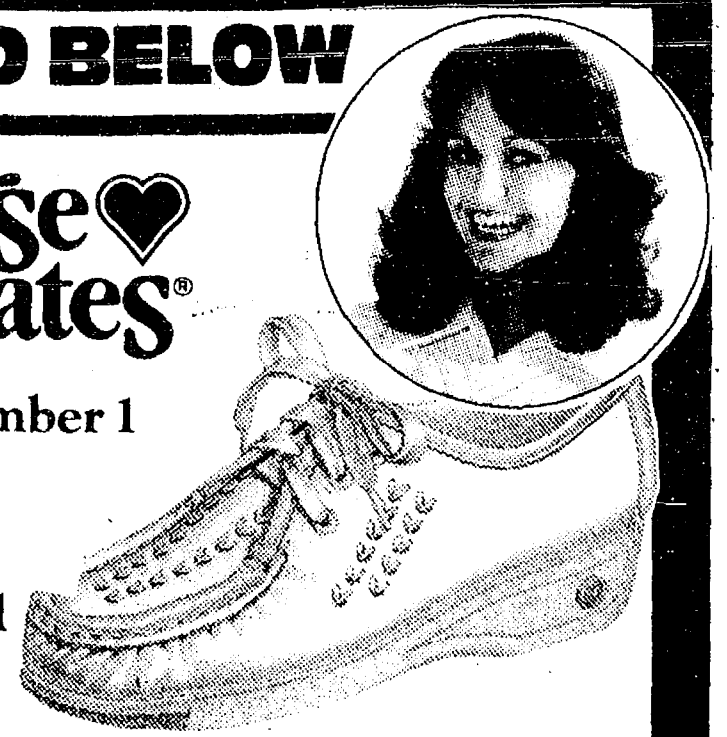
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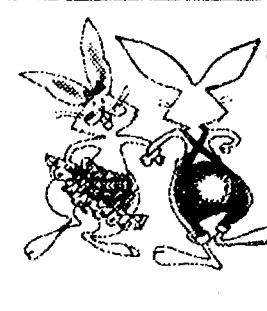
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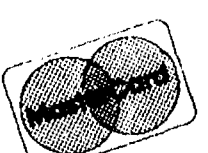
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Whitey Madsen

From Our Corner...



We changed our environment over the weekend but we weren't able to change the weatherman and the funny tricks he is playing during March...last Friday was a beautiful day, Saturday morning we were greeted with a mixture of snow and rain when we left for Ohio...we drove in it almost to Standish and then it was nice all the way to Amherst...Sunday morning we thought we brought the weatherman with us, it snowed all morning putting a blanket of white on the ground...revolting to say the least, all we need is to have it snow in Vegas when we get there...

Time is running out between the ol' fella and the IRS...we tried to get our stuff together before we left but, just ran out of time, so, that will be No. 1 priority when we return...this is the time of year we hate most...seems like the government takes enough throughout the year by nibbling away and then on April 15th if you're not ready for our dear Uncle he will take an oversized bite of the pie...and the biggest problem is that if he doesn't think he got his lion's share of the bite, plan on spending some time with an IRS agent...papers and magazines during this time have all kinds of suggestions and tips on how to save from paying taxes...the problem is, you have to be a CPA or a Philadelphia lawyer to understand the tips they give...

The old adage holds true, there are two things a person can be sure of, and that is death and taxes...we are not afraid of dying, because we believe in the deity...but, we are afraid of the IRS...only because they can be the first cousin to the gestapo...if you don't pay, what they think you should, they will come in and take what they want, and gosh, we don't want to lose our meager collection of stuff, especially at this time of our life, we don't have that much time left to start over collecting stuff...and I'm sure our bride could never replace her Danish plates, tea pots and (stuff?)...

It's a great life for 11 months and 14 days then in one day Uncle Sam takes what he wants, and you better be ready to give...that's the good old American way, taxes and death, your Uncle takes care of the first, only the deity has the answer for the other...

On Tuesday, April 2nd the voters will be asked again to part with some of their money for school taxes...this time though it will be millage for operation of the school district by the Board of Education and not a request to build a new middle school which has been shot down a number of times...

This time the board is asking for 17.9 mills for a period of three years for operational purposes...this is a renewal of 16.9 mills which expired with the 1984 tax levy that voters approved three years ago and a one mill additional operating millage...

We hope the voters have a little compassion about the education of our youth and approve the request by the board...we do not know the alternative if it is rejected, except, that only the young will suffer...

This has been definitely different from the usual Sunday at the office, we've compiled this masterpiece longhand (we hope Rena can decipher) in Toni's dinette while the bride and Toni grocery shopped and John and the girls watched TV...

So, with the end of our first day out of the Wolverine State we will say goodnight to T.J. and Stefany and bid Amber the same out in Nevada, and to all our readers have a nice weekend...we'll see you next week...

BIDS WANTED

The Crawford AuSable School District will accept sealed, written bids on bus 73-6. Bids should be returned to 403 Michigan Avenue, Grayling by 4:00 p.m., April 11, 1985 and clearly marked "School Bus Bid." The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago March 29, 1962

Miss Judy Harwood celebrated her fifteenth birthday anniversary on St. Patrick's Day, March 17th. (Judy's middle name is Patricia). She entertained friends at a pizza party with dancing, at her home.

Mrs. Arthur Carlson and Mrs. LeRoy Christian were in Battle Creek Sunday afternoon and Monday of last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Root, friends of the Carlsons. On the return trip they stopped in for a short visit with the Julius Carlsons at Bellvue.

The Bruce Smiths, the Ward Ellisons and Mr. and Mrs. Dick DuBois attended the basketball tournaments in Lansing Friday and Saturday.

Robins have been sighted in Beaver Creek, over the weekend. Also a killdeer.

Mr. and Mrs. James Osga of Frederic have a baby girl born March 21st.

Susan is the name of the daughter born March 24th to the Arnold Hubbells. She weighed 7 lbs. Mrs. Theresa Hubbell of Hillsdale, and Mr. and Mrs. Eber Snyder of Allen are grandparents.

Christopher Scott Lepsy was baptised Sunday, March 25th, at St. Mary's Church in Grayling. Mrs. Lepsy's sister, Miss Patricia Hunter, and Patrick Belland of Alpena were named the baby's godparents.

The Lewis Stillwagons and the Bill Josephs enjoyed skiing at Boyne Mountain Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bitters spent the weekend with friends in Holly, Michigan.

The Earl Broadbents have five crocus blossoms in bloom at their home, with snow all around them.

The eagles are nesting in their usual spot at Hartwick Pines again this year, and have been seen at the nest for about two weeks. Conservation officer Forrest Annis came up with the information that eagle eggs require from 34 to 35 days to incubate.

Jim LaGrow and Donald LaMotte returned home Monday night of last week after a trip to Florida, bringing evidence in the form of suntans.

46 Years Ago March 30, 1939

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Barber of Frederic were made the proud parents of a son, born to them on Sunday, March 26.

John Bruun arrived home Monday from a six weeks visit abroad. He visited his mother in Denmark. He was also in France, Germany and England. He reports the war situation in these countries and Russia as serious, and there is much apprehension as to what Hitler may do next.

Mrs. Eva Wingard returned on Tuesday from Romeo, her daughter Mrs. A.J. Trudeau driving down to accompany her. Mrs. Wingard reports a very pleasant sojourn in Florida, where she spent the month of February. She saw a lot of country as she was up both coasts and crossed the country three times.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Strohauer of Alger were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Flower Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Borchers entertained at two tables of bridge Friday afternoon. Mrs. Eugene Papendick and Mrs. George Granger carrying off the scoring honors. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Fuller and children of Marshall visited Mrs. Fuller's sister, Mrs. Paul Feldhauser, from Friday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyne McDermaid and four children of Flint spent Sunday visiting at the Liland Smock home and the gentlemen were schoolmates there.

Max Ferguson, attending Bay City Business College, spent the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ferguson.

John and Arthur Gorman, brothers of Maurice Gorman, arrived unexpectedly Wednesday from Portland, Maine, where they have been for the past year. They are on their way to their home in East Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Creque, Jr. and son Richard of Flint were in Grayling Saturday on business, and incidentally called on friends.

69 Years Ago March 30, 1916

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wheeler and children spent last week visiting relatives and friends near Standish.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hodge were made the proud parents of a daughter, Saturday, March 25th.

Miss Florence Smith is home from Reading, Mich., spending her Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Smith.

Mrs. Albert Kraus with her daughter Miss Hattie left last week for Saginaw to visit her daughter, Mrs. M.B. Weinberg and family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Chappel, on March 16th, a daughter. A son was born to Editor and Mrs. D.E. Matheson of Roscommon on Saturday, March 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Larson and children and Mrs. Peter Madsen left Wednesday for Detroit to visit relatives and friends for a couple of weeks.

A jolly crowd met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orson Corwin on Monday night to help them celebrate their fifteenth wedding anniversary. A beautiful water set was presented to the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Smith of West Branch spent a few days with the latter's mother, Mrs. Bills, at the Bills cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. C.S. Barber are pleased to announce the birth of an 8 pound daughter.

Miss Louise Trevegno of Mt. Pleasant is spending this week as a guest of Mrs. A.M. Lewis. She was formerly a teacher in the local schools and at present is teaching in Saginaw.

Mrs. Addie Patterson, after a three months annual visit with her chum, Mrs. O. Palmer, will return to her home in Pittsford next week.

Wood Saver

Low humidity can cause wooden furniture to dry and crack. If you do not have a humidifier, put a saturated sponge in a bowl and place them inside a cupboard or chest to protect it.

The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

THE RESURRECTION

The true gospel message of Christianity cannot be told without the literal, bodily resurrection of Jesus Christ from the grave. "For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures; And that he was buried, and that he rose again the third day according to the scriptures." I Corinthians 15:3,4.

Christianity without the resurrection of Jesus Christ is a dead, deceptive, decaying religion like the rest of them. The bones and decomposed bodies of the founders of the world religions of the past bear stark evidence of their failures at conquering man's greatest enemy, death. Paul said Christianity would be the same without a risen Christ. "And if Christ be not risen, then is our preaching vain, and your faith is also vain." I Cor 15:14. Without the resurrection, man must bear the guilt of unforgiven sin. "And if Christ be not raised, your faith is vain; ye are yet in your sins." I Cor 15:17. Without the resurrection, all of our loved ones who died in Christ are permanently perished. "Then they also which are fallen asleep in Christ are perished." I Cor 15:18. Without the resurrection, Christianity is a very sick, miserable religion. "If in this life only we have hope in Christ, we are of all men most miserable." I Cor 15:19.

Liberal Christianity which denies the deity or virgin birth of Jesus Christ, and denies the authority of Holy Scriptures, and denies the bodily resurrection of Jesus Christ is the world's worst religion. It is turning the pure truth of God into a lie. Jesus Christ is to be worshipped as a risen, glorified God, or rejected as the world's worst liar and greatest deceiver. No other response to Him can be considered intellectually honest and sincere.

Paul reminded us in Philippians 3:4-14 that the greatest goal of a living human being is to know Jesus Christ and the power of His resurrection. "Yea doubtless, and I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord; for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and do count them but dung, that I may win Christ, And be found in him, not having mine own righteousness, which is of the law, but that which is through the faith of Christ, the righteousness which is of God by faith: That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made comfortable unto his death; If by any means I might attain unto the resurrection of the dead." I Cor 15:8-11.

May the blessed Holy Spirit draw each of us closer to the crucified, risen God this Easter season.

Pastor Barnett

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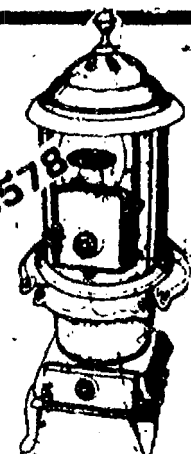
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FREE 10 point inspection

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 6. Inspect all shocks for leaks
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Large Parking Lot
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The Thrift Shop has experienced a lot of "growing pains" during this last year. Many of our customers have been supportive and understanding. In return for seeing us through this wonderful but difficult year we are expanding our services for you. The St. Francis Thrift Shop is your shop. We care about your needs. Without your donations and support we wouldn't be here.

Sincerely,
Kimberly Ann Forstenau
Shop Director

WANTED — 3 or 4 bedroom house to rent, good references, can pay \$250.00 a month. Ph. 348-3196. -28-

FOR SALE — 2 Bedroom newly redecorated home on North Branch of AuSable, \$26,000.00. Phone after 6:00, 348-5669. -28-4-

THANKSGIVING NOVENA TO ST. JUDE — O Holy St. Jude, apostle and martyr, great in virtue and rich in miracles; near kinsman of Jesus Christ, faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special patronage in time of need. To you I have recourse from the depth of my heart and humbly beg to whom God has given such great power to come to my assistance. Help me in my present and urgent position. In return I promise to make your name known and cause you to be invoked. Say three 'Our Fathers', three 'Hail Marys' and 'Glorias'. Publication must be promised. St. Jude pray for us and all who invoke your aid. Amen. This Novena has never been known to fail, I have had my request granted, publication promised. G.B. -28-

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MOVING SALE — 2931 S. Grayling Ave. (Lake Margaret) March 28, 29, 30. Refrigerator, stove, dishwasher, antique scale, sewing and craft supplies, curtains, drapes, too much to mention. -28-

GARAGE SALE — Friday & Saturday, March 29 & 30. 2 wood stoves and gas space heater, ladies jeans, 808 Smith Street. 9 to 7 -28-

MOVING SALE — Karen Woods area, 108 Woodleaf, Dishwasher, \$200.00 Firm; clothes, child's wooden slide; aquarium, stereo, \$25.00; Boy's 10 speed, large dresser with mirror, \$50.00; Much More, 348-4261. Wed. thru Sat. 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. -28-

GARAGE SALE — March 31st Only. 10 to 5:00 p.m. Clothes - ladies size 12, girls size 6 and many other items, wood cook stove also. 4 miles out on West 72 to Maybelle Pl. (just before Eagle Pt. Road) make a left, go down 2 blocks - white house on curve, right hand side. -28-

GARAGE SALE — March 29, 30 from 10 to 4. Sofa and matching chair, lamps, dishes, bedspread, vacuum cleaner and lots more, 104 Heather Lane on North Down River Road. -28-

FOR SALE 1977 MALIBU CLASSIC
Auto., Air, Tilt, AM/FM, 78,000 Miles, some rust, Runs Good
\$1200.00
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FISH FRY — Grayling Moose Lodge, 305 Peninsular Avenue, Friday's 5 to 9 p.m. includes fries, coleslaw, roll and coffee. Adults \$3.25, Children, \$1.75. -1/1R 6/16

FOR SALE — Ford Maverick, 1974, only 70,000 miles, auto & power steering, good battery & tires, great second car, only \$550.00, 348-5743. -28-4-

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FOR SALE — 1973 Chevy 1/2 ton pickup, auto. trans, P.S., P.B., cap, new tires, \$875.00. Ph. 348-8726. -28-

FOR RENT — 2 Bedroom small home, 1 block from Lake Margaret, close to town, \$275.00 per month, Security Deposit & References, Ph. 732-6737 days, 348-8659 evenings, Rick. -3/28f-

FOR SALE — 1979 CJ5, 37,000 miles, V-8, 3 spd., P/S, P/B, white spokes, trackers, levis, sport pkg., 1 owner, Ph. 732-6737 days, 348-8659 evenings, Rick. -3/28f-

WANTED — Babysitter April thru October, variable hours, 8:00 AM-8:00 PM Monday thru Friday (occasional weekend). Must be reliable; references preferred. Will drop at your house any where from Stephan Bridge area to Grayling. 348-2096, if no answer 348-8109. -28-

FOR RENT — 2 Bedroom mobile home in Grayling Mobile Estates, all appliances, including washer and dryer, 2 car garage. \$250.00 a month plus security deposit. Call Craig Hinkle, 348-6481 or 348-5912 after 6 p.m. -28-

INTERESTED in starting a car pool to Traverse City. Hours 6:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Call after 6:00 p.m. 348-8131. -28-

FOR SALE — 1969 Chevy Pickup, runs great \$400.00 or Best Offer, 348-2446. -28-

FOR RENT — 2 Bedroom Apartment in Grayling, with garage, available March 29, \$235.00 a month plus security deposit. Call Craig Hinkle 348-6481 or 348-5912 after 6:00 p.m. -28-

WANTED — Full time Waitresses, experience preferred; references, must be reliable. Only those with flexible hours need apply. Part-time bartender, experienced/references. Mail resume to: Grayling Country Club, P.O. Box 529, Grayling, MI 49738. -28-4-

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Hartig Elected Woman of Year By Grayling ABWA Chapter

Mrs. Sally Hartig was elected Woman of the Year by the Grayling Chapter of the American Business Womans Association (ABWA) at a recent meeting. Mrs. Hartig is a legal secretary for John B. Huss,

local attorney and Crawford County Prosecutor. Annually, each ABWA chapter elects one of its members for this award. Selection is based on the member's achievements in her field of business, educa-

tion, community activities and her participation in the association.

Mrs. Hartig has been married to Ed Hartig for 30 years and has lived in Grayling since 1953. They have three children and three grandchildren. Her hobbies include ceramics, cake decorating and motor-cycling.

Mrs. Hartig has also been employed as a licensed practical nurse and a school secretary.

Mrs. Hartig is presently secretary for the Saginaw Bay Chapter of the March of Dimes which covers 13 counties, including Crawford. She is a past president of the Grayling Chapter of ABWA and is presently secretary for the Grayling Promotional Association.

Mrs. Hartig has been a member of the Grayling Chapter since 1976. She is now eligible to compete for the 1985 Top Ten Business Women of ABWA.



Sally Hartig

RSVP Reports

In visiting the Commission on Aging station, I came across Vi Hohner, Ula Henry, Dorothy Linden, Delia Grassley, Dee Bellanger and Hattie Kenyon, busily quilting. They are certainly doing a beautiful job! Keep up the good work girls. Anyone else interested in quilting please give us a call. Hattie Kenyon along with quilting has knitted a lot of hats for our Community Service Project. Thank you Hattie! We still have lots of yarn and flannel to be given to anyone who wants to help on the Community Service Project. Just stop in and pick it up. I also ran into Charlie Kellogg and Jay Doty, they were busy loading up for their meals-on-wheels deliveries. We certainly appreciate all our meals-on-wheels drivers.

Friday, I arrived in time at Social Services to see Barney Engel. He was preparing to transport some students to Kirtland Community College for GED testing. Thank you Barney for all the driving you do for RSVP.

With spring here we are starting to set up our volunteers at the Crawford County Historical Museum, Hartwick Pines and the Grayling Fish Hatchery. Please stop in and sign up. We will need lots of volunteers to man these stations.

Coop Nursery

"Hop-N-Ing"

For Easter Seals

It's "Hop-N-Ing" time again in Michigan and Grayling! On April 1 & 2, 65 preschoolers from the Grayling Coop Nursery, 306 Plum Street, will be taking part in a unique program sponsored by Century 21 of Michigan, and designed to help Easter Seals.

The event, known as a "Hop-N-Ing" emphasizes motor skills and at the same time helps raise funds for children and adults with physical disabilities. Each child will hop for a 3-minute timed period, and then collect sponsorship from friends and relatives for the number of hops completed.

Hospital News

Persons admitted to Mercy Hospital this past week include Douglas Knuth, Joy Wright, Joseph Bielski, Alfred Mathew, and Cynthia Safin, of Grayling, and Mark Gielincki, of Roscommon.

Those discharged include: Stanley Owens, Nancy McClanahan and baby, Douglas Knuth, Vicki L. Rousseau, Carol Hegyi, Alfred Mathew, and Herluf Moshier of Grayling. Also Alice Tuchan, and Thomas Fleming of Roscommon.

Paul and Kelly Wilson of Merritt are pleased over the arrival of their son, Paul on March 10, 1985. Paul weighed 7 lbs. 14 ozs.

Warren and Betty Reinhardt of Grayling, are happy over the arrival of Piety Ashley born March 4, 1985. Piety weighed 7 lbs. 15 ozs.

Charles and Diana Preston of Lewiston are happy over the arrival of Bridgette Lee, born March 18, 1985. Bridgette weighed 10 lbs. 5 ozs.

VFW To Meet April 1st

The monthly VFW meeting will be Monday, April 1st at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion. There will be an election of officers at this meeting.

Grayling Pool League

Grayling Red Barn 128
Spike's Keg O' Nails 118
The Plaza Bar 99
American Legion 95

Daniels Den

Glory Express from Boyne City will be the featured group this Saturday evening at Daniels Den. This will be their second time with us and we are sure that everyone will enjoy them. There has been some changes in the group, but their music is still great.

Daniels Den is a Christian Coffee House open every Saturday evening from 7:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. and is sponsored

Accuracy Test

The accuracy test for the Crawford AuSable School District April 2 election will be held at 10:00 A.M., March 29 at 403 Michigan Avenue, Grayling.

A Message of Thanks

To the Crawford County Deputy Sheriff's Association, Grayling Booster Club, Flowers by Josie, Custom Forest Products, and Mom and Dad for their financial support for the Michigan Homecoming Queen this weekend. Also to the Avalanche for their articles: Kim Kinsora

Grayling Wins Own Middle School Wrestling Tournament Saturday

Grayling beat out five other schools Saturday to win a middle school wrestling tournament held at the Grayling Middle School gym.

Grayling scored 129½ points to 113 for second-place Houghton Lake.

Grayling had seven first place winners, Andy Moore at 73 pounds, Terry Sorenson at 80 pounds, Terry Canoy at one division of 87 pounds and Matt Branch at the second division of 87 pounds, Jamie Montoya at 115 pounds, Brian Kernstock at 145 pounds, and Skeeter Apps at 155 pounds.

Taking second were Allen Johnson at 73 pounds, Frank Wildfong at 80 pounds, Carl Witfoth at 136 pounds, and Rusty Argue at 167 pounds. Taking third were Cory Wyskiel at heavyweight, Denny Springer at 94 pounds, and finishing fourth was Andy Burkley at 66 pounds.

Seniors Battle Teachers On April Fool's Day

Don't be a fool — don't miss out on the April Fool's Day Seniors versus Faculty basketball game at 7 p.m. Monday, April 1, at the GHS gym. Tickets will be \$1 at the door.

The GHS Faculty, better known as the "City Champs" feature famous dunkers Butch Hayes, Fred Wolcott, Gerry St. Germain, Dan Ullery, Mike Smith, Tom Mills, Gail Mills, Pam Alexander, Becky Brown, Nancy Lemmen, Billy Bonkowski, and Mike Branch.

The Seniors stars are Rod "Super Duper Pooper Scooper" Patterson, Mick "Mickey Mouse" Lovely, Jon "Mama's Boy" Nicholas, Jeff "Bucky Beaver" Branch, Greg "Coon Dog" Burns, Kris Laudenslager, Heidi Derenzy, Barsie Cross, Brad "Skinny" Naghtin, Riley "Mad Jack" McNamara, Lisa Solomonson, Rochelle Campeau, and Erin "Barnaby" Jones.

Basketball League

Final Statistics		
Team	W	L
Chief Shopenagons	9	1
Glen's	7	2
AJD	5	4
Custom Forest	5	4
Mercy Hospital	5	4
Michelson	4	5
G.T.E.	4	5
Media Madness	4	5
Loco Law	3	6
Mt. Hope	2	7
Free Methodist	2	7
Top Scorers		
Brad Treary	21.3	
Dave Narlock	19.7	
John Juntilla	18.1	
Fred Wolcott	13.2	
Mike Doremire	12.0	
Dan Beckwith	12.0	
Dean Smith	11.7	
Butch Hayes	11.1	
Gary Rousseau	10.9	
Bob Madsen	10.9	
J. Kave	10.6	
Dave White	10.1	
Deryl Holmes	10.0	

Monte D'Amour	9.6
Louie Madill	9.6
Rich Scott	9.5
Brian Brunskill	9.4
Steve Houghton	8.6
Dan Bonham	8.2

Open Gym For Basketball Held Wednesday Night

An open gym for basketball for persons 19 years and older will be held Wednesday nights from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Grayling Middle School.

Games will be played full-court with the winning team staying on the court against the next challenger.

The basketball night is offered through the Crawford AuSable Community School program and the cost is \$1 a person which can be paid at the gym Wednesday nights. The program starts Wednesday, March 27th.

Bowling

PIONEER LEAGUE	
1. Main Street Florals	27
2. Northern National Bank	25
3. Dawsons	25
4. Skip's Sport Shop	21
5. Millikin Construction	19
6. Terry & Dave's 76	17
7. Avalanche	13
8. High Game: M. Milner 203, P. Shepherd 201, N. Gingerick 196.	
High Series: B. Worden 514, B. Pryor 501, F. Brooks 496.	
SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED DOUBLES	
1. Fuelgas	29
2. Best	29
3. Down River Ace	23
4. Grayling Floor Covering	21
5. K & K Masonry	21
6. AJD	18
7. Carlisle Paddies	17
8. Schusters	13
High Game: J. Hinds 181, E. Hulbert 176, R. Leas 172.	
High Series: J. Hinds 490, R. Leas 473, E. Hulbert 459.	
High Game: T. Grant 231, J. Sampsel 188, R. Moshier 181.	
High Series: J. Sampsel 541, T. Grant 509, H. Baker 508.	
EARLY BIRDS	
1. Moshier Sales & Service	30
2. Down River Ace	29
3. Grayling State Bank	28
4. Rochette's	28
5. Wendy's	26
6. Perez CPA	23
7. DuBois Lumber	21
8. Willits Carpet Service	20
High Game: D. Barr 151, S. Denton 147, P. Grant 146.	
High Series: S. Denton 416, D. Grant 406, L. Cdbaca 397.	
High Game: L. Davis 233, M. Barr 196, G. Messerschmidt 172.	
High Series: L. Davis 585, M. Barr 512, D. Meyers 467.	
SUNDAY AFTERNOON FUN!	
1. Dee's Ice	37½
2. Grayling Restaurant	34
3. Video Room	31
4. Legion Lanes	27
5. D.J. Electronics	25½
6. Spike's Keg O'Nails	24
7. River Rats	23
8. Grayling Moose	22
High Series: H. Glaslee 521, N. Longworth 509, M. Harwood 508.	
High Game: N. Longworth 198, D. Canfield 191, H. Glaslee 190.	
High Series: M. Porter 482, N. Glaslee 468, P. Harwood 440.	
High Game: N. Glaslee 176, M. Porter 172 & 167, K. Ashton 158.	
LITTLE RASCALS	
1. Mac's Drugs	23
2. Lane Busters	22
3. R & H Sports	20
4. Moore's Automotive	21
5. Roost Motel	21
6. Milltown Forest Products	17
7. Pete the Grease	16
8. McDonald's	16
Hi Series: J. Stancil 252, C. Leht 201, B. Walsh 185.	
Hi Game: C. Leht 138, J. Stancil 129, S. Haas 118.	
Hi Series: C. Fedewa 228, T. McClellan 193, M. Cole 193.	
Hi Game: C. Fedewa 134, T. McClellan 100, M. Cole 100.	
THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE	
1. North Central Erector's	32
2. Spike's	30
3. Parson's Advertising	29
4. Dan & Maggie's	26
5. Jilly's Well Drilling	26
6. Jellystone Park	21
7. Women of the Moose	18
8. Ghost Team	15
High Game: B. DeHart 201, T. Papendick 199, A. Kamp 181.	
High Series: B. DeHart 487, K. Moshier 478, D. Doremire 468.	



8th GRADE CHAMPS — The Grayling Middle School 8th grade boys basketball team won a tournament at Houghton Lake by defeating Roscommon and Houghton Lake and finished their season with a 10-3 record. To top off a fine year, the team will be going to Detroit March 31 to watch the Pistons versus Boston Celtics. Standing, left to right, coach Mike Shearer, Matt Cory, Grant Armstrong, Rob Montgomery, Bud Ostrowski, Ted Baynam, Mike Gray, Van Hill, Chris Skidmore, Kraig Hudson, Rusty Argue, Derrick Christman, Skeeter Apps, Chris Lehti, manager, and coach Howard Lehti. Kneeling, Chris Erway, Marty Jung, Tim Pernie, Todd VanHill, Mark Hubbard, and Tim Hickey, manager. Cheerleaders, left to right, Sharon Lewis, Dusty Smith, Sheryl Klinger, Betty Partello, and Linda Denton.

Leagues

NORTHWOOD LEAGUE	
1. Laurines	70½
2. Legion Rollers	66
3. Bubbles Belles	59
4. Grayling Floor Covering	59
5. Fred's Auto Body	55
6. Milliken Traders	51½
7. Rochette's I.G.A.	48½
8. Helsel's Firewood	38½
High Game: J. Hinds 204, M. Young 202, G. Jones 191.	
High Series: J. Hinds 520, G. Jones 510, M. Young 494.	
FRIDAY NIGHT MIXED LEAGUE	
1. Rochette's Party Store	35
2. Bear's Country Inn	30½
3. Park Bureau Ins	29
4. Jack Millikin Inc.	25½
5. Moshier's S & S	25
6. Try Hard	22½
7. Tom's Welding	21
8. T.P.G.R.	19½
High Game: K. Moshier 201, S. Harney 196, N. Millikin 195.	
High Series: S. Harney 534, K. Moshier 522, N. Millikin 498.	
High Game: J. Cherven 202, R. Lobsinger 198, J. Harney 193.	
High Series: R. Lobsinger 523, J. Cherven 514, J. Harney 503.	
NATIONAL 1st DIV.	
1. Eagles #2465	64
2. Red Barn	58
3. Budweiser	57
4. Carlisle Paddies	57
5. Legion Lounge	54
6. Dan & Maggie's	49½
7. Spikes Keg O'Nails	39½
8. Bear's Country Inn	39
High Series: G. Wolfe 599, H. Baker 596, B. Millikin 565.	
High Game: G. Wolfe 229, H. Baker 208 & 203, B. Burrick 202.	
SENIOR CITIZENS	
1. Larry & Joan's	59
2. Flowers by Josie	58
3. Great Lakes	58
4. Cornell Ins.	54
5. ProMart	53
6. Grayling Restaurant	50
7. R & H Sports	44
8. Chemical Bank North	40
High Series: G. Wolfe 536, B. Varco 525, B. Bellanger 524.	
High Game: B. Bellanger 204, B. Varco 197, G. Wolfe 194, R. Cline 184.	
High Series: T. Murray 529, B. Cline 454, D. Burrick 438.	
High Game: T. Murray 193, B. Cline 182, D. Burrick 178.	
AMERICAN LEAGUE 1st DIV.	
1. Helsel's Firewood	26
2. R & H Sports Center	20
3. Carol's Mobil	20
4. Arrowhead Inn	19
5. Ron Auctioneer	14
6. Moose Lodge	13½
7. Glen's Market	13
8. Holiday Inn	6½
High Series: L. Davis Jr. 577, R. Metzger 548, R. Case 545.	
High Game: L. Davis 212, J. Budd 203, R. Metzger 203.	
AMERICAN 2nd DIV.	
1. Willits Carpet	31½
2. Patty's Place	28
3. Clair's Standard	25
4. Holiday Inn	21
5. McLean's ProMart	21
6. Skip's Party Store	18½
7. Arneton Legion	18
8. Scheer Motors	17
High Series: L. Davis 585, R. Weaver 584, D. Mansfield 582.	
High Game: D. Mansfield 224, R. Weaver 205, L. Davis & R. Reed 204.	
RECREATION LEAGUE	
1. John's Hallmark	65
2. Grayling Power	62
3. Legion Rollers	52½
4. Sawmills	52½
5. Grayling Judo Club	57½
6. Spikes Keg O'Nails	55
7. Timberline Village	52½
8. Krummel Beverage	52½
9. Oxbow Club	50½
10. Bay City Times	50½
11. Terry's Sport Center	48
12. Scheer Motors	47
13. Bear's Country Inn	47
14. Airway Automation	45½
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Announce Engagement



Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Galvani of Grayling would like to announce the engagement of their daughter Felicia Rose to Dennis Michael Kuhn, son of Albert E. Kuhn and the late Twila E. Kuhn, also from Grayling.

Dennis and Felicia both graduated from Grayling High School. Felicia now attends Kirtland Community College, and is currently employed at Dr. William Fenn's office. Dennis is a graduate of Kirtland Community College and is presently working at the Grayling Health Care Center.

A June 1, 1985 wedding is planned, afterwards the couple will reside in Grayling.

Doodles From The Tall Timber

Wendell L. Hoover
 Park Interpreter

I hope the past few articles have provided a little information regarding just one phase of the logging industry in this State as it was from 1860 to 1900. By conservative estimate log marks were used to identify at least 160 billion board feet of lumber in log form. Other, perhaps more realistic, estimates place the figure at 212 billion board feet of lumber. That alone indicates that logging was big business, but consider other figures for just the year of 1871 which was not a peak year by any means. In that year, 5,204 men were working in the sawmills and more than 10,000 in the woods and this was in the forest from which the rivers ran into Lake Huron. On the West side of the state (those rivers ran into Lake Michigan) there were 25,000 men working out of more than 800 logging camps. In the city of Muskegon alone it has been estimated that 1000 men worked in the sawmills.

If you are interested in more information on log marks the bulk of the information I have used came from a booklet titled "Michigan Log Marks" published by West Michigan Historical Reprints, 995 Hendricks Road, Muskegon, Mich. 49441. You can order direct from them or the Hartwick Pines Natural History Association has them for sale. Next time we will be back to more current subjects.

American Legion Auxilliary News

By Laurie Jensen,
 P.R. Director

This is it. The Sunday that everyone looks forward to is upon us. Grayling's Auxiliary Unit 106 is sponsoring Feather Bingo Sunday, Mar. 31st from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Everyone knows what an enjoyable afternoon this is.

Be sure to tell all your friends that this Sunday is the day and plan to spend it with us. By the way, I will be a caller so you know it is sure to be fun!

Resource Review

By Bruce Patrick
 Conservation Officer

During 1984, 10,039 calls were handled by the DNR RAP (Report All Poaching) Hotline. Of these 3,848 complaints (38%) were referred to the field, resulting in 478 arrests. This resulted in an arrest to complaint ratio of 12.4%. This is an increase of 2.3% over 1983 and is especially significant in light of staggering personnel reductions. This percentage is one of the highest of the states which have similar programs.

The reward system is effective in providing incentives for persons to become involved in the protection of our wildlife resources. During 1984, 104 reward applications were processed and a total of \$18,850 was paid. (Most callers aren't interested in the reward). Since the program's inception \$64,050 has been paid.

The hotline system is an important tool in monitoring the magnitude and type of game violations within the state; it affords the public a direct link to the Law Enforcement Division and has proven to be a deterrent to game law violations. We are at present studying means of increasing the effectiveness of the system. You are urged to make use of it. But remember, contacting your local officer can save much time, which may be critical. I would also like to remind you that 1985 fishing licenses are required starting April 1.

Cong. Davis' Rep. Here April 3rd

Congressman Davis' District Representative Betty Mankowski will be visiting your area in the near future. Anyone wishing to meet with Ms. Mankowski is invited to do so without an appointment. She will be available to discuss any problems you may be having with Federal or State Government. She will be in Crawford County on:

Wednesday, April 3, Lovells, Lovells Twp. Hall, 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Also April 3rd, Frederic, Frederic Twp. Hall from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

For further information call 517-732-3151 or 4773 Monday thru Friday or toll free in Michigan 1-800-682-8982.

Blts O'Talk

Michael and Sandra Ploetz are pleased to announce the arrival of Jeremy Michael, born on March 2, 1985. Sandra Ploetz is a 1980 graduate of Grayling High School. Jeremy is the first grandchild of proud grandparents, Frank Nichols of Whitmore Lake, and Vivian Nichols of Utica, Michigan, former residents of Grayling.

Sportsmen Club Sunflower Seeds available at C.F. Fick & Sons, Inc.

Word received from Josephine Morley, that her brother, John Mercurio passed away March 10, 1985, and that she flew home to attend the funeral, and returned to Florida on the 17th.

Dora Lee Dann sited two robins March 26, at her home on Peninsular.

Commission On Aging

SPECIAL PROGRAM

A special program will be presented March 28th, 5:00 p.m. at the Commission on Aging office located within the Grayling Housing Facility, 308 Lawndale Dr.

Paul Lerg, representing Crawford AuSable School District, will be speaking on the property tax circuit breaker, a provision where seniors won't pay over 3 1/2% of their income on property tax. Come for dinner at 4:30 and stay for this informational and timely program.

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Crawford AuSable School District

3 Year Operational Millage Request

Vote Yes

April 2, 1985

In 1982 the Crawford AuSable School District Board of Education asked the voters to approve a 3 year millage for school operations at a rate reduced one mill from previous years. They made and kept the promise that they would not return to the voters within those three years for additional operating funds. The current millage expires in June 1985 and therefore must be renewed. The school board and local citizens concluded the school district should request another three year millage.

Why

A three year operational millage allows for long range planning of programs and operational expenditures. The expiring three year millage has enabled the district to establish financial and program stability.

How Much

The district is requesting 17.9 mills for three years. This is a renewal of the expiring 16.9 mills and a reinstatement of the one mill reduced in 1982. The 17.9 mill request will allow the district to maintain current programs and operational levels.

When

The millage vote is scheduled for April 2, 1985. By passing the millage on April 2, the school can collect the summer tax for the 17.9 mills and will not have to borrow \$1.5 million to operate until December. A Yes Vote will Save \$100,000.00 in interest costs.

An April 2 Yes Vote will Save You and the District \$100,000.

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Lovells Township Notice

The regular meeting of the Lovells Township Zoning Board of Appeals will be held April 1, 1985 at 9:30 a.m. in the Township Hall. At this time a variance request from Dan L. Alstott, to build a garage on his property, 5 feet from the side lot line, will be considered.

Helen M. Spencer
Township Clerk

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Notice of Hearing

In accordance with P.A. 55, Public Acts of 1968, the Crawford County Road Commission will conduct a public hearing beginning at 7:30 p.m. on April 16, 1985 held at the Frederic Township Offices in Frederic, Michigan for consideration of the improvements of county local roads as follows:

1. May Lake Road (Old 27 to County Road 612)
2. Hiawatha Drive (County Road 612 North to end of Subdivision)
3. Arrowhead Road (M-72 to Tamarack Circle)

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1st PLACE — GHS sophomore Amy Smith took first place in serious interpretation over 38 other contestants from 24 schools at an individual speech events (forensics) invitational tournament held March 9 at Standish-Sterling. A junior GHS duo of Kathy Allen and Jeff Martinez made it to the semi-finals in duo interpretation. (Jon Thompson Photo)

THANK YOU

George and I give many thanks to our good friends, neighbors and relatives for all their kind thoughts of us during my illness.

Prayers, phone calls, cards, food and more.

Special thanks to Dr. Gosling, Dr. Cline and everyone concerned.

Hazel Hanson

Right to Life

Crawford County Right to Life held their monthly meeting last Tuesday, March 19.

This is a newly reorganized and chartered member of Right to Life of Michigan. The group is involved in working together to help protect the unborn, infants, handicapped and elderly.

Monthly meetings are held the third Tuesday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Grayling.

Anyone wishing further information or to volunteer their time or talents in some way may call our president, Al Peterson or secretary, Gary Waters evenings at 348-8573 or 348-3046 respectively.

THANK YOU

It is difficult to express our feelings to the many wonderful people who helped us during our recent loss. Our sincerest thanks to the ambulance crew, the emergency room doctors and nurses.

The wonderful care that Mrs. Fenton had on Two North will never be forgotten. We really appreciate the splendid care that Mrs. Fenton received from Dr. Howell, Dr. George, Dr. Langdon and the nurses while she was in the intensive care unit. We know she received the best professional care during her hospital stay.

The many expressions of gratitude by Rev. Regan were very helpful to all of us. The comfort received from the many friends, relatives, Mr. Derek McEvers, United Methodist Women, cards, notes, flowers helped us during our time of sorrow.

May God Bless all of you
Carol and Larry Crouch
Donna and Roy Wedge
Nancy & Robert McLachlan
All the grandchildren
Elmer L. Fenton

Two More Leader Dogs Graduate

Two more puppies raised by members of the Grayling Leader Dogs 4-H Club have graduated from a school for leader dogs.

Rocky, a golden retriever raised by Louie and Linda Rioux, of Grayling, now has a new home with Marsha Lemery, of Illinois.

Cherokee, a chocolate labrador raised by Rob Crandall, of Roscommon, was teamed with Carl Kirkland, of Texas.

Anyone interested in raising a leader dog puppy can call Nancy Hatfield at 348-9769 or the co-operative extension service.



Cherokee with
Carl Kirkland



Rocky with
Marsha Lemery

County

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able incentive were offered.

Operate Animal Control only Monday through Fridays with one person. Destroy all unclaimed animals each Friday and close the shelter completely on weekends and when the Animal Control Officer is on vacation. If an emergency arises on a weekend, which should be defined strictly as a vicious and dangerous animal, a deputy can handle the situation. If the Animal Control Officer is sick, have a deputy stop in and feed the animals. The new person through DSS who will work 100 hours a month should be a help here too.

Withdraw the \$500.00 appropriation to the Chamber, along with your commitment to consider additional funding later. You simply don't have the money for outside programs right now and the future of the Chamber will not be determined by the County's \$500.

Inform NACO that you cannot fund them this year. MAC does an admirable job of keeping you informed on all matters pertinent to county government. NACO's contribution pales by comparison. NACO too will survive 1 year without Crawford's contribution.

Restrict registration and expenses for conventions and seminars to a strictly "must" basis. If an employee or commissioner's job performance will be seriously jeopardized by not going — approve it. If not — say no until the crisis is over.

Cancel the order for one police car — the higher priced one, until you've secured the funds to assure you can pay for the second. It makes more sense than buying two cars and laying off the people who drive them.

Cancel the typewriter purchases for the same reason.

Try holding full Board meetings once a month instead of twice for a few months to see if it works. The savings, not only in per diem, but in employee time and productivity, would amaze you — if you can do it for several months.

Release the attorney you've engaged to do your collective bargaining. Drenth's rates are 80 percent higher than Dan White, of Traverse City, who charged you \$50 an hour; and his distance from Crawford will further inflate the fee. Since contract reopeners are limited to economics only — as opposed to a contract rewrite, the need for that degree of legal expertise at the onset is questionable.

Herb Corner

In India the shade temperature in the summer can reach 100°F or better. Meat killed fresh in the morning will start to spoil in the afternoon if they are not preserved, and some cooked meats are barely edible after 12 hours.

The ancients discovered that if meats are cooked in certain spices, they would not spoil for days; and if some of those meats were cooked in Mustard oil, they would not spoil for weeks or months. They learned to bring these spices together in a variety of combinations, from which some are the basis of the Curries we now use.

Herbally yours,
E. Diana Cerelli

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ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Maple Forest Township

The final organizational meeting of the Maple Forest Township Board of Review will be held at the town hall on Wednesday, March 27, 1985, at 7:00 p.m.

Barbara R. Hunter, Supervisor
Maple Forest Township

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GRAYLING TOWNSHIP

NOTICE:

RE: SATELLITE DISHES

"Satellite dishes" in Grayling Township constitute a "structure" by definition in Grayling Township Zoning Ordinance 83-4 and, as such, they are subject to the same setback and height requirements as accessory structures. Therefore, it is necessary to obtain a "Zoning Permit" from the township building and zoning office prior to actual construction.

Arnold Stancil
Zoning Administrator

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Public Notification of FmHA's Findings of No Significant Environmental Impact

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) has received an application from Cobble Creek II Apartments Company Limited Partnership. The specific elements of this proposed action are a 20 unit multiple family housing project. The site is located off of Knight Street, Grayling, Michigan. Public water and sewer will be available.

FmHA has assessed the potential environmental impacts of this proposed action and has determined that it will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment. Therefore, FmHA will not prepare an environmental impact statement for this action.

Any written comments regarding this determination should be provided within fifteen (15) days of this publication to Mr. Harry Bruner, District Director, Farmers Home Administration, 710 U.S. 31 South, Elk Rapids, Michigan 49629. FmHA will make no further decisions regarding this proposed action during this fifteen-day period. Requests to review the FmHA environmental assessment upon which this determination is based or to receive a copy of it should be directed to the above address.

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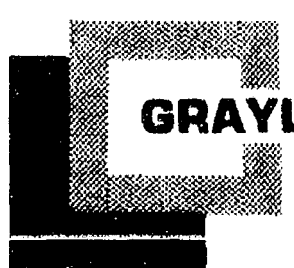
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Almanack

It's Lonely at the Top

by Richard Millman

GOV. JAMES BLANCHARD, who has tasted both worlds, has found quite a difference between being governor of a state, and a member of Congress.

Some of the differences are obvious, of course. The governor's role is in the executive branch, and more administrative in nature — as well as policy-suggesting, of course.

The congressman is one of 435 — plus another 100 across the building in the Senate. The congressional function, then, is a joint operation and is legislative — or law-making, rather than law-execution — in nature.

In many ways, the executive acts, and the legislator reacts...or as they say in capitols around the country, the executive proposes and the legislature disposes.

But there are differences beyond those, too, as Michigan's freshman chief executive noted in a recent anniversary interview with the Detroit News.

ONE BIG DIFFERENCE, Blanchard allowed, is that the governor is lonely.

"When you're a governor, you have no peers in your state," Blanchard said.

"I think that's why governors like to go to governors' conferences, even when they don't decide anything. They can share human experiences and their families and wives can talk about how they hate the schedule, or complain about their press corps, or complain about their legislatures, or talk about their budgets.

"Here," Blanchard continued, "the governor is somebody everybody wants to get something from. I never felt that way as a congressman."

But all in all, Blanchard appeared satisfied.

"I'm comfortable that I'm a good governor and a strong governor, building a foundation for Michigan's future," he commented.

"But it'd be nice to have a group down the hall I could talk to."

IN A VERY minor but similar way, I know how the governor must feel. Being a newspaper editor or publisher in a small town is somewhat the same...there's nobody

around with whom to talk or review things who has the same problems you have.

A small-town newspaper is the only game in town, so to speak; and if there is another newspaper in the same town, the editor and publisher probably wouldn't trade secrets or discuss problems anyway, because the competition is keen.

That was one of the harshest lessons I had to learn years ago when I first became a small-town newspaper operator.

SO, LIKE GOV. Blanchard in his own solitary bastion, I went to as many newspaper conferences and press conventions as time and budget would allow — primarily to share problems and learn things from other newspaper people.

Small-town newspaper telephone bills are high, too, as solitary editors or publishers dial their friends and colleagues in other cities — friends who have been met and cultivated at meetings and conferences — just to talk...just to sort through problems...just to learn from someone else's experiences.

This isolation is not limited to governors and editors, however; I'm sure any business or professional person in a solitary field has similar feelings.

But, as Gov. Blanchard also pointed out, there are rewards in all fields, just as Blanchard has found. Job isolation, however, is a lesson that must be learned.

I SEE by the paper that Michigan ranks second only to Alaska in how much the average teacher is paid, according to a survey by the National Education Association.

Alaska pays its teachers \$36,564 on the average, compared with Michigan's average of \$28,877, according to the survey. New York is third at \$26,750, California next at \$26,403 and Washington state fifth at \$24,780.

Others in the top 10 average salary, NEA reports, are Rhode Island, \$24,641; Wyoming, \$24,500; Minnesota, \$24,480; Hawaii, \$24,357, and Maryland, \$24,095.

Who says unionism doesn't raise wages? Certainly not teachers.

And many taxpayers will remember those average figures the next time they go to the polls to vote on a millage increase.

I want to add my thoughts to Mr. Tunes letter last week because I am worried about what the county commissioners are doing. I am just an average person and I can see what they are doing to our county is harmful and foolish. I do not like to complain, but I am so tired of hearing we are always broke and in debt. For petes sake if we are always broke and in debt it has to be because we are always spending more than we have. Why won't the commissioners stop?

Why won't they set aside enough money for what we really need and just say NO to all the extra things they know they can not afford? I do not buy a new dress or a nice coat I can not afford and then bounce checks at the supermarket or not pay my light bill. Isn't it the same thing?

I read the newspaper and the minutes and I think the commissioners should be ashamed of themselves to buy me an airport when they can not buy a police car without going in debt.

They should be ashamed to build more offices then they really have to have when they can not afford to pay their workers. And they should be ashamed to pay a lawyer \$90.00 an hour so they will not have to give their workers any raise at all. How can they all think it is OK to give that airport manager a \$5000.00 raise and have him making so much money when they can not take care of their own and are talking about laying them off? What is important to the commissioners is just not important to me and I am paying the bill.

When I was 12 years old I learned there are things you have to have and you have to pay for them and things that are nice but you do not have to have, and you do not buy them unless you can afford them. If the county commissioners do not know what I learned when I was 12 then they should not be in the job they are in. This foolishness can not go on or we will all be ashamed to live in Crawford County.

Elizabeth Morrison
M-72 East

Dear Whitey,
I would like to share with you and your readers, the pride and pleasure I experienced this past week at our high school.

On Monday, March 18, we had a formal induction ceremony into the National Honor Society. Grayling High School's twenty eight members welcomed twenty new members into this National Organization. Probably only 5-10% of the high school students qualify for this honor. You must have a cumulative 3.5 grade point average to be considered.

On Tuesday, March 19, Grayling High School sponsored the District Forensics tournament. One hundred thirty students competed from five schools in fourteen different categories. Grayling was represented by sixteen students. The students participating were warm, out-going and exuberant. I watched them support each other as awards were announced. They cheered the winners with standing ovations, regardless of the schools they were from. I've never witnessed this level of enthusiasm from any group of students about an academic event. It matched the spirit normally visible at athletic events but far surpassed in the areas of comradery and sportsmanship.

The Science Fair and Spelling Bee's are two more examples of academic extra curriculars. When I see the eagerness of these students to learn and to excel, I know that "Excellence in Education" is not just the catch phrase of the 80's but is an actual living thing in northern Michigan and at our schools in Grayling and Frederic.

We have great groups who sponsor athletics and the arts. Wouldn't it be wonderful to have a group in our community sponsor academics with the spirit and enthusiasm of these students? I'd love to talk to others who have an interest in this. Call me!

Mary Allen

Editor's Mailbox

Mar. 21, 1985
Crawford Co. Avalanche
Grayling, Mich.

Dear Staff:

This weeks article on the semi tractor trailer load of steel I-beams, no doubt was seen through many different eyes. Your facts are not wrong on this accident on I-75 and the AuSable river. However being the one responsible to pay all the sub contractors and co-ordinating their work I just don't feel you had all the information. In the ten years in the wrecker business never have I seen the people who are on call 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, given any mention of cleaning up these messes, day or night, sub-zero weather or on a sunny day.

Riker Towing was called to this accident scene a little after 8 a.m. and didn't get back to our business until 6:30 p.m. that night. I personally was responsible to co-ordinate the hiring of the work force that cleaned up the fuel spillage, the wrecked truck & trailer and the load of steel. We didn't do it by ourselves. Without the professional manner of the Crawford County Sheriff department, the State of Michigan's Department of Natural Resources and the Crawford County Road Commission, the rest of us could not have done our jobs.

I hired Dean Welch to send out a tractor trailer to load the 22 tons of steel onto. Also hired Jack Millikins Inc. which included a loader, a bulldozer w/truck & trailer, a dump truck, and a forklift. The contaminated soil was

hauled to an authorized landfill. This means I was responsible to see that all these people were paid for their services. I'm proud to say that this has already been completed. This way all are willing to help in the next accident.

While these sub contractors were doing their part Riker Towing was busy in retrieving tractor and trailer and loading over 44,000 lbs. of I-beams onto a trailer, my thanks to our anchor (Mill-town Refuse).

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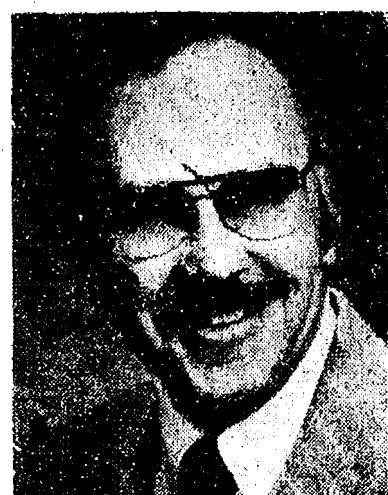
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Michigan Mirror

State Officials Warn Budget Problems Could Erase Projected Surplus

Warren M. Hoyt, Executive Dir., MPA

Budget officials have urged legislators to move cautiously on tax rollbacks, telling them high spending needs could more than eat up an increased revenue forecast to apparently erase a \$68 million surplus in fiscal year 1985-86.

Governor James Blanchard's own \$65 million property tax relief plan is still "on the table" despite the revised outlook, according to Management and Budget Deputy Director Thomas Clay.

Since the Governor's budget was proposed in December, Clay said the situation has worsened so that instead of a surplus at the end of fiscal 1985-86, there will be a zero balance or a deficit.

If a Senate-approved tax rollback plan is enacted, the state could have a deficit of some \$300 million by the end of that fiscal year, he said.

Clay added the budget department will revise its forecasts and budget estimates based on newer revenue figures and factors such as federal budget cuts and the impact of removing Japanese trade restraints on automobiles.

He said the Legislature should not move rapidly on either property or income tax rollbacks, and said the Governor wants budget decisions made prior to or at least at the same time as tax decisions.

If there is money left over after adoption of an "appropriate" budget, Clay said the Governor favors property tax relief and if there is more or if tax exemptions are closed, an income tax rollback could be supported. Even though he said the items he outlined for the members of the Appropriations and Taxation Committees of the House of Representatives would eliminate the 1985-86 surplus, he said it is premature for the Governor to withdraw his property tax relief proposal.

"The property tax credit is still on the table, if complicating factors do not come to pass. But the revenues would not support (an early income tax) rollback if you assume higher spending for federal cuts and other budget increases," he said.

Treasurer Robert Bowman was less pessimistic saying, "I don't think the \$68 million surplus is eliminated. We're reviewing it."

Clay said general fund revenues in the current year are already \$40 million higher than estimated, which he said will increase the current year surplus carried into the next year, but said several factors — some definite, some only possible — will offset that.

The most important of those, he said, is a \$70-80 million revenue loss in 1985-86 by removal of Japanese trade restraints.

Other items include \$25-35 million more to run new prison facilities, \$5 million to State Police and trial court employee pay raises, \$75 million in federal budget cuts with \$30-40 million of that in the Medicaid program, \$20 million for University of Michigan hospital construction that the state is trying to have paid by insurers, \$22 million in increased costs if the Governor's veto of the Medicaid abortion bill is overridden, \$25-50 million in Medicaid inflation costs, and \$17 million in lost coverage of outpatient mental health services if a federal waiver is not renewed.

He also said his best guess of federal cuts assumes a \$200 million cut to local governments from revenue sharing.

Taxation Committee Chairman Representative Lynn Jondahl (D-East Lansing) said the management and budget figures "leads me to argue that we must be real cautious as we decide what to do (about tax cuts) because there are enough other elements to jeopardize our stability."

But Representative William Bryant (R-Grosse Pointe Farms), ranking Republican on the committee, said with revenues up, he remains convinced a surplus exists because spending items remain within the Legislature's discretion.

He said, however, a rollback decision must take into consideration elements such as Japanese imports and federal budget cuts.

Bryant said the responsibility for budget revision rests with the Governor, since at the moment he considers the original spending proposal to be the maximum amount for the fiscal year.

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District Court

The following persons ap-
peared in 83rd District Court
before Judge Francis L.
Walsh:

C.F. Hankins, 74, of Gray-
ling, plead no contest to a
charge of reckless use of a
firearm and was fined \$305
or 30 days in jail plus sen-
tenced to two years proba-
tion. An original charge of
felonious assault and com-
mitting a felony with a fire-
arm was dismissed by a
motion of the prosecuting of-
fice upon the above plea. He
was cited following a citizen
complaint on Nov. 13.

Glen Moody, 21, of Ros-
common, plead guilty to a
charge of O.U.I.L. and was
fined \$355 or 30 days plus his
license is suspended for six
months and he is placed on
one year probation. He was
cited July 4 by the sheriff
dept.

Wayne Hayes, 38, of Gray-
ling, plead guilty to a charge
of O.U.I.L. and was fined
\$355 or 30 days plus his licen-
se is suspended for six mon-
ths. He was cited Feb. 1 by
Grayling City Police.

Steven Callahan, 28, of
Kawkawlin, plead guilty to a
charge of impaired driving
and was fined \$305 or 30 days
plus his license is suspended
for 90 days. He was cited
Oct. 17 by the sheriff dept.

Glen Moody, 21, of Ros-
common, plead guilty to a
charge of possession of
marijuana and was fined
\$305 and sentenced to 12
months probation. He was
cited July 4 by the sheriff
dept.

Ted Bidwell, 35, of Burton,
plead guilty to a charge of
unlawful use of marijuana
and was fined \$205 or 30 days
in jail. He was cited March
14 by the sheriff dept.

Joseph Rye, 33, of Orlan-
do, Florida, plead guilty to a
charge of unlawful use of
marijuana and was fined
\$205 or 30 days. An original
charge of possession of mari-
juana was amended to the
above charge by a motion of
the prosecuting attorney. He
was cited March 14 by city
police.

Michael Hickey, 18, of
Grayling, plead guilty to a
charge of unlawful use of
marijuana and was fined
\$205 or 30 days in jail. An
original charge of possession
of marijuana was amended
to the above charge by a
motion of the prosecuting at-
torney. He was cited March 8
by city police.

James Stewart, 18, of
Grayling, plead guilty to a
charge of unlawful use of
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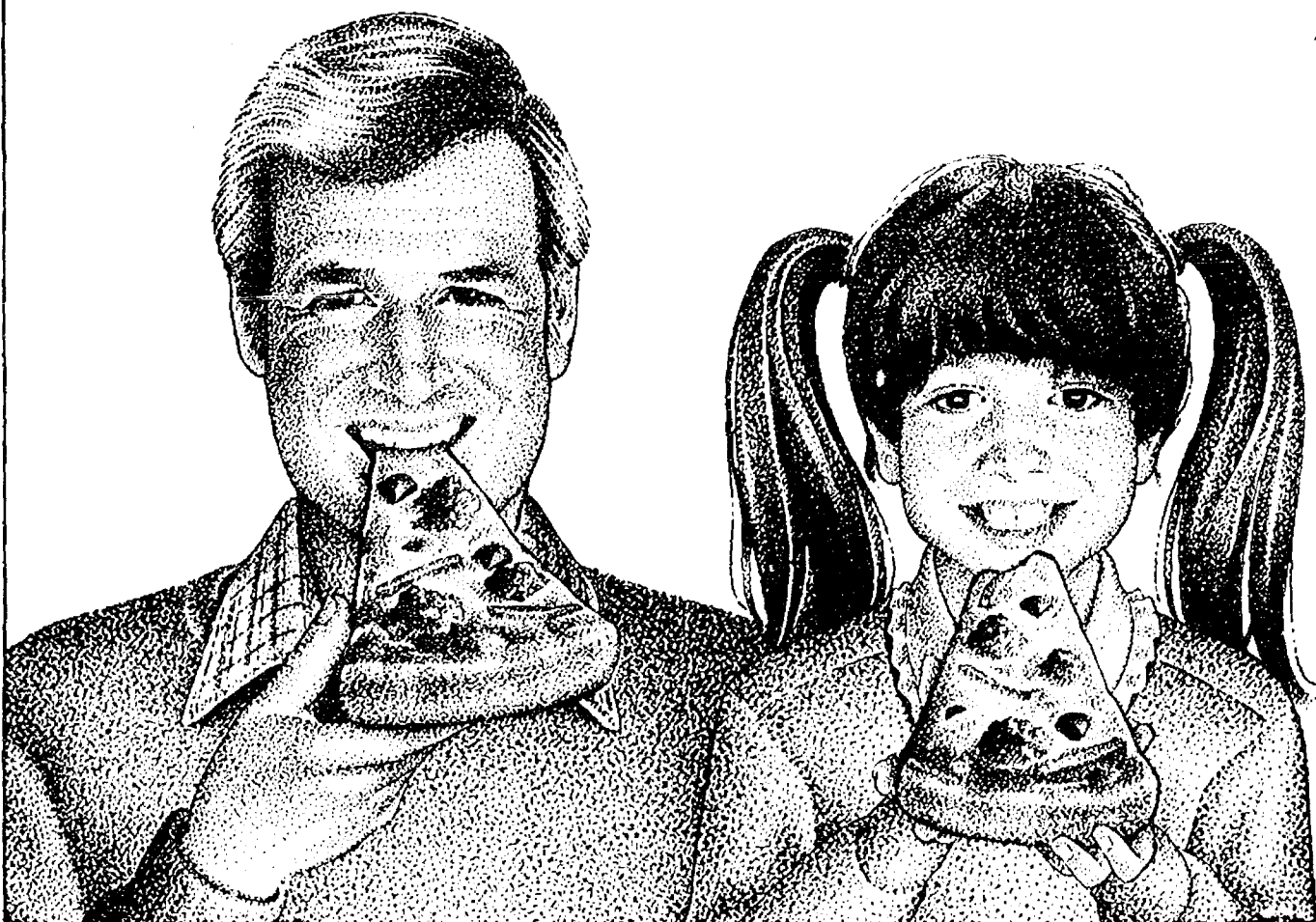
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realized it was not one proposal but two: the renewal issue had
been combined with another to increase operating expenses by 1-
Mill.

My question is, why were the taxpayers not given the option of
voting on the issues separately? With school elections costing ap-
proximately \$3,000-3,500, why surprise the taxpayer in the voting
booth with words like "limitation increase" which disguises the
fact the School Board wants **More** money, not less.

Considering the huge sums of money spent on the various ad-
vertisements, architectural fees, special elections, and other pro-
motional fees, when do the taxpayers of this school district call a
halt to these extravagant costs and begin to spend the money on
educating the children?

Finally, wouldn't it be nice if a truce could be called between
the School Board and those who are expected to fund the schools?
Unfortunately, without better communications being established
between the School Board and the voters of this district, I cannot
see a compromise taking place; this, of course, is a detriment to
us all.

Sincerely Mary Cecil

Pd. for by Mary Cecil - Rt. 2, Grayling, Mi.



UPPER ELEMENTARY WINNERS — Yolanda Rosi and Bethany Bobenmoyer, 4th graders, won the upper elementary division at the Science Fair. Karen Febey, 5th, was second, Daniel Seidler, 4th, was third, and Leslie Mesack, 5th, was fourth.



HIGH SCHOOL WINNERS — Scott Lehto and Kevin Hunter, 9th graders, won the high school division at the Science Fair. Mike Burkley, 9th, took second, Jamie Walker, 10th, was third, and Brian Gribowskas, 9th, was fourth.



LOWER ELEMENTARY WINNERS — Katie Smock and her partner Emily Courtney (in Florida during Science Fair), 2nd graders, won the lower elementary division of the Science Fair. Placing second was Melissa Wakeley, 3rd, Rachel Reinhardt, 2nd, took third, and Brad Prause, 2nd, took fourth.

Editor's Mailbox

Estero, Fla.
March 18, 1985

Dear Whitey,
Hope you and your wife have fun in Vegas. However it's a bit cool up north to return home without a shirt so be careful at the game tables.

Everyday the sun seems to move a bit farther toward the north so, it should shed some of that warmth on Crawford County before too long.

The nicest part about a trip is coming home, but, I'd really like to forget about house cleaning and some of those mundane chores waiting at home. It's nice here, but tornado weather is waiting in the wings. They had one in Venice yesterday morning that did a lot of damage. We are a good distance from there, but, sorry for all the people whose homes were destroyed and for the ones who were injured. I'd like to say "hello" to our friends in Grayling and "Lovely Lovells". See you all soon.

Our best,
Hazel Koernke
and Fred

Editor's Mailbox

To The Editor:
Just a few words in support of the School Board's decision to again request a 3 year millage. This is a far-sighted approach that provides many benefits. The stability gained by knowing what operating funds will be available per year for a 3 year period is invaluable in terms of long range planning. This is a positive step that will surely benefit our children.

Pat Hanson

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Editor's Mailbox

Letter to the Editor,
As the time approaches for the millage renewal election, I urge everyone to take a few minutes to acquaint themselves with this vital issue. It is simply an election held to approve the necessary funds that the school district has calculated it needs to operate within the next three years. These funds will enable the school to maintain existing programs, staff levels, busing routes, etc. Although the requested millage is one mill higher than the millage requested and approved in 1982, the 1982 millage was a one mill reduction from 1979-1982 levels. It is necessary to re-instate that mill because of increased costs and inflation, something all of us are unfortunately very familiar with.

I am confident that the citizenry of the Crawford/AuSable School district will vote responsibly in the upcoming election.

Cris Seidler

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At such time in addition to other regular business and in accordance with the law, a budget hearing covering proposed expenditures and estimated revenues of the Township shall be submitted for consideration on the General Fund, Landfill Fund, Fire Fund, Liquor Fund and the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund. (Copies of the proposed budgets for 1985-86 are available from the Clerk.)

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GMS Track Team Holds Easter Drawing To Buy Uniforms

The Grayling Middle School Track team will be holding an Easter drawing with three prizes. Donations to the team's drawing will be used to buy new uniforms.

First prize in the drawing is an Easter basket made by Wanda Lavrack, a pair of earrings from Davis Jewelry, a duffle bag from R & H Sports, a stuffed bunny from John's Hallmark, monogrammed stationary from Weaver's Gifts, basket stuffers from Main Street Florals, plus candy.

Second prize is another basket by Lavrack, hot curling brush from the Hair Station, \$5 gift certificate from Goodale's, basket stuffers from Main Street Florals, stuffed bunny and two-pound box of chocolates from Dawson's, and candy.

Third prize is a basket donated by ProMart, an orange juice pitcher and mugs, \$5 gift certificate from Movie Outfitters, stuffed bunny and candy. Glen's Market discounted candy used in prizes and cashed green slips saved by Mrs. Joyce Tucker to help the track team.

Commission On Aging

SPECIAL NOTICE
Commission on Aging offices will be closed April 5th for Good Friday. We will reopen as usual Monday, April 8th. Have a Happy Easter.

Chamber Chatter

By: The Staff

The Milltown Festival is shaping up quite well as of the March 13th meeting. Visits to Hillsdale Farms on Tuesday, July 23rd will begin the Festival. Old Time demonstrations, a unique gift shop with many handmade items from local craftsman will be available at the farm as well as their greenhouse, farm animals and the wildlife sanctuary pond.

Tuesday evening a Kick-Off Dinner is being planned along with the W.Q.O.N. Street dance which was so very popular last year.

Wednesday will be Children's Day with most of the activities centered around the youngsters. The Grayling Promotional Association did a fantastic job last year with the children and their parade. I'm sure it will be even more fun this year.

Thursday is Heritage Day. Tours through Cerelli's Lilliana Gardens, Herb Farm and Spice Shop will be led by Diona Cerelli and is located 1 mile north of Frederic on Old 27.

Thursday also begins the 2 day book sale at the C.C. Library. This sale is getting bigger and better every year. Thursday evening's Heritage Costume Parade, weather permitting, should end with an Ice Cream Social and dance at AuSagra Acres Senior Citizen Center.

Friday and Saturday the Arts and Crafts Show will be in the City Park from 10 a.m. until dusk. Sidewalk Sales will also be in the Mini Mall and downtown Grayling. Arts & Crafts people interested in a booth may contact Nancy Hatfield at 348-9769 for applications.

The Milltown Parade will begin at 2 p.m. on Saturday, July 27th, including our own Grayling High School Band. Parade applications have been sent to last year's participants. Hopefully they'll all return plus the new units this year. Anyone who would like to enter may contact the Chamber office for applications. Let's make this one the best ever. Charlie Fick and his men volunteer a great amount of time preparing for the parade. Let's offer our appreciation and participate.

The Kids Fishing Contest on Saturday evening last year was a great success and I'm sure it will be even better this year.

The famous Budweiser AuSable River Canoe Marathon will be the event which will send many teams racing down the AuSable to vie for the championship and to receive their reward in Oscoda. Steve Southard, chairman of the race, John and Cheryl Alef, Col. Ivan Gwilt, Ralph Stevens and Walt Nowak have been meeting regularly with the Oscoda Committee to whip the plans in place for a great race and it will be just that.

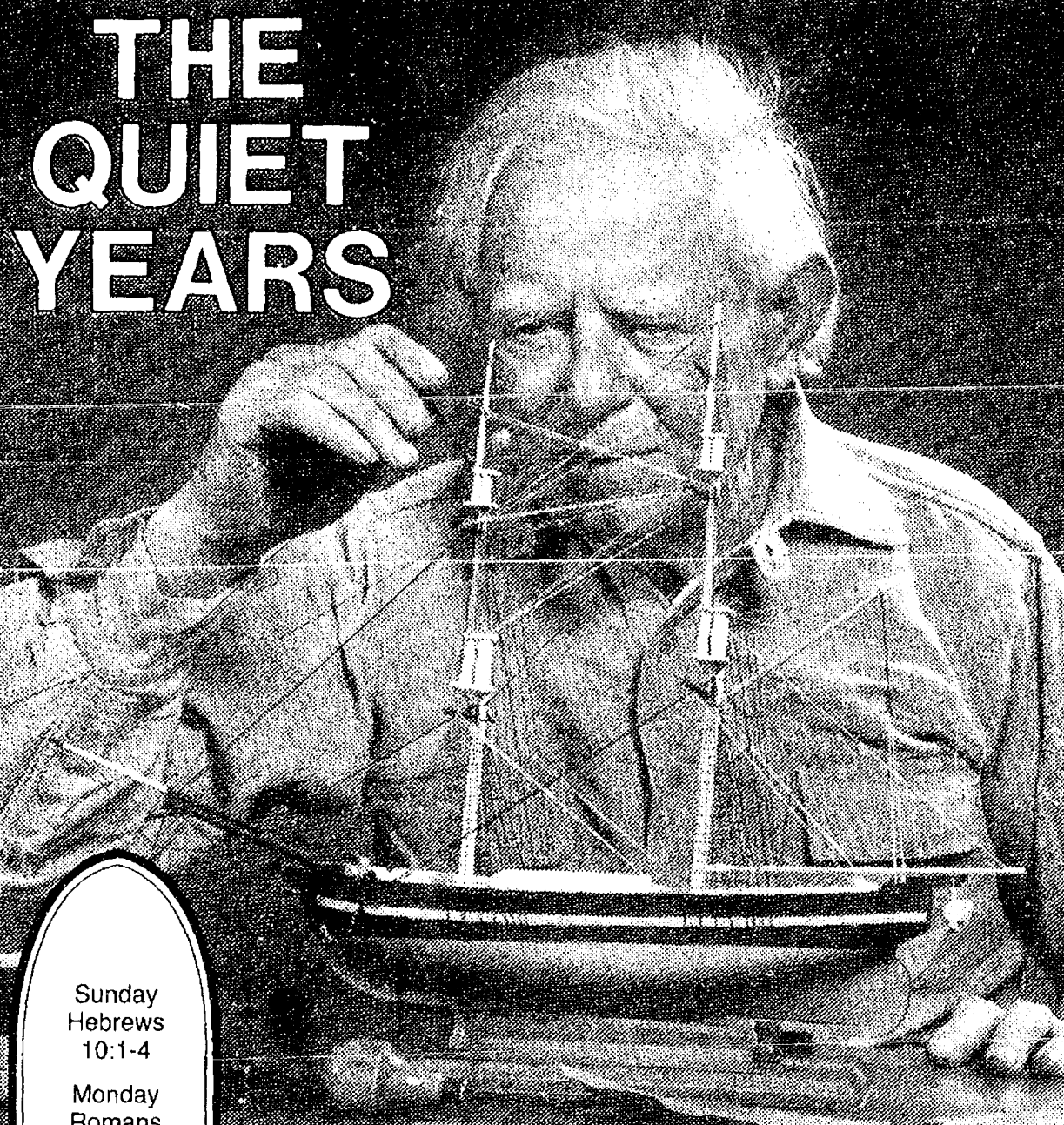
The Milltown Committee is looking for Clubs and Organizations to sign up for other events and for concession stands along the parade route. Lemonade, Kool-Aid and Fruit Juices would bring in some pretty pennies. Parade participants and onlookers have requested ways to obtain beverages during the hours encircling the line-up and the parade. Contact the Chamber office if your group is interested.

Also the committee is asking all businesses and citizens to dress in old time garb during the Milltown Festival. The Committee is working hard to give pleasure to everyone through the festival — why not join the fun!

Patterns, appropriate materials and even entire outfits may be purchased at "The Icehouse". However it's during a busy season therefore, outfits must be ordered by the end of May.

Old time displays will be available in the Historical Society Museum throughout the festival. The senior citizens of Grayling and Crawford County are invaluable to the museum and the entire festival.

CHURCH DIRECTORY



THE QUIET YEARS

Sunday
Hebrews
10:1-4

Monday
Romans
12:1-2

Tuesday
Genesis
22:4-8

Wednesday
Exodus
12:21-24

Thursday
John
11:47-50

Friday
John
12:23-26

Saturday
Romans
8:6-10

Now, in "the quiet years," he has a chance to put the finishing touches on that schooner. When a man's working with his hands, he has time for some thinking, for some looking back.

Our aged friend has a good many years to look back over—some of them good, some bad. But, through all of them, there's been one steady, continuing force, like a thread of steel woven through the pattern of his life.

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You see, it is all-important to be able to review the right kind of life. Don't wait. Start going to church now.

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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship & Praise 11:00 a.m.
SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE
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Summer 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer, Bible Study & Praise
Winter 6:00 p.m.
Summer 7:00 p.m.

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entrance road.
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Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

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Preaching 11:00 a.m.
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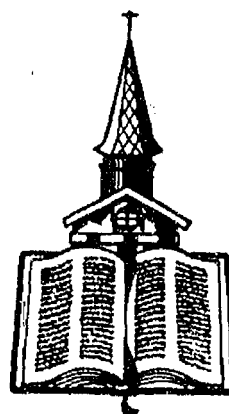
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Township Board of South Branch, Crawford County, will accept bids until 12:00 Noon on Tuesday, April 9, 1985 at their offices located at 5245 E. Michigan Hwy. (M-18), Roscommon, MI 48653 for:

One (1) 1985 Pickup, 1/2 Ton

Specifications may be obtained by calling 517-275-8232

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to award the contract in any manner deemed to be in the best interest of the Township.

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The Easter Bunny Is Coming!

The Grayling Promotional Association and the American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary are co-sponsoring an Easter Egg Hunt for children 3 to 10 years old, in the City Park on Sunday, March 31st.

Age categories and starting times are as follows:
9 and 10 year-olds - 2:00 p.m.

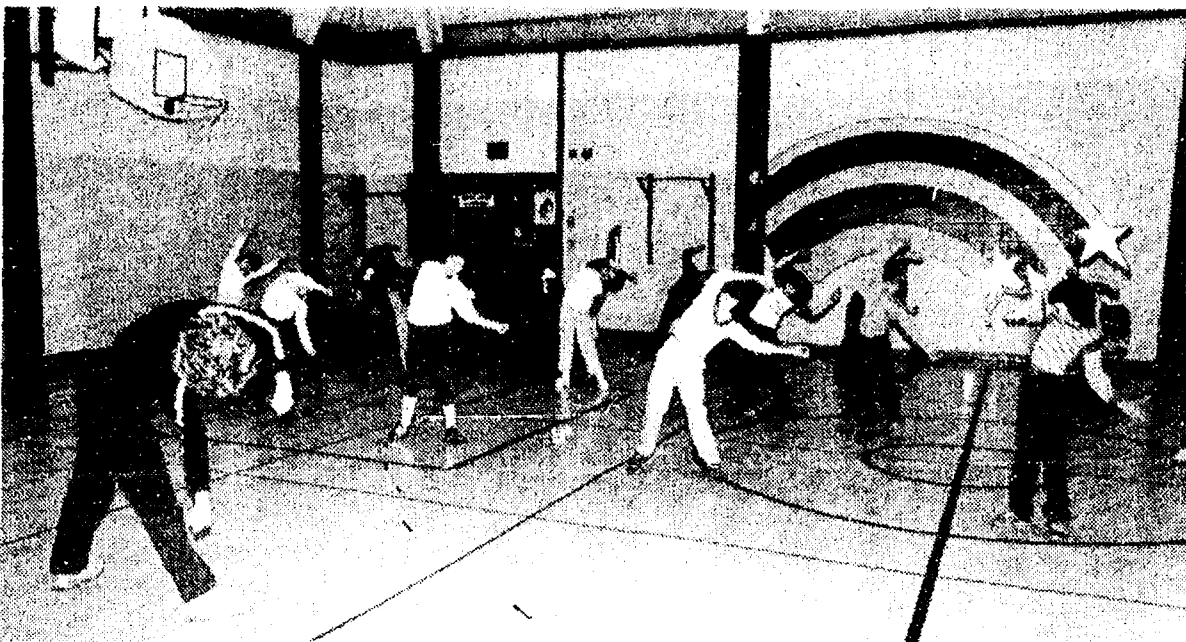
6 to 8 year-olds - 2:30 p.m.
3 to 5 year-olds - 3:00 p.m.

Children who wish to participate should line up at the pavilion in the City Park at the designated time for their age category.

Balloons, candy and prizes will be won by all.

S.E.R.A. to Meet April 2nd

Regular meeting of Chapter #19, State Employee Retirees Association, will be held on April 2, 1985, at the Houghton Lake Community Center. Meeting will begin at 2:00 p.m. All retired state employees and spouses are encouraged, and urged, to attend.



ELEMENTARY MURAL — Elementary physical education instructor Kathryn Yatich (top, left) leads a group of students in exercises at the Grayling Elementary gym where she painted a colorful rainbow mural this winter. Yatich painted the rainbow during lunch hour and after school during January and February to brighten the gym.

Substance Abuse Meeting April 3rd

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services Advisory Council will be held on Wednesday, April 3, 1985 beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the Holiday Inn in Grayling. For agenda and details please call (517) 732-1791.

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Lovells News

The Lovells Hook and Trigger Club is having their regular monthly meeting, 7:30 p.m. at the town hall. Speaker will be Ray Perez of the Grayling DNR. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Honey returned home Monday after enjoying a vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Koernke hosted the card party Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Margie Harwood, Elsie Kearney, Pat Miller, Andy Parker, John Campau, and Jack Kearney. This Saturday will be the last party of the season, hosted by the group.

La Leche League To Meet April 4th

"Nutrition and Weaning" will be the topic for discussion at the April meeting of the Grayling-Roscommon La Leche League. The meeting will be held on Thursday, April 4th at 7:30 p.m. at 1646 Ole Dam Road, Grayling. This is the last meeting of this series; a new series of meetings will begin in Grayling in May.

La Leche League believes that mother's milk is the best food for baby; more importantly, that breastfeeding gives the baby the best start in living.

Frederic Hobby Club

Ladies of the Frederic Hobby Club will be having a Bake Sale on Saturday, April 6th from 10:00 a.m. till 3:00 p.m. Will be held at the Hobby Club in Frederic on 612 West of 27, so come on in, get your baked goods for Easter.

We are also looking for people that would like to learn how to Square Dance, and people that already know how. On Thurs., April 11th at 7:00 p.m. we are having one at the Frederic Hobby Club. The cost is only \$1.00. Call this number, 348-2415, could be fun!

Marriage Encounter Date Set

The next Lutheran Marriage Encounter Weekend will be April 19, 20, & 21st, at the Park Place Hotel in Traverse City. This weekend is open to couples of all faiths.

A Marriage Encounter Weekend is designed to enhance marriage through more effective communication. It is presented in an atmosphere of love and encourages growth in a marriage relationship.

For more information about the weekend or registration, contact Jim & Donna Carmean at (517) 348-5356.

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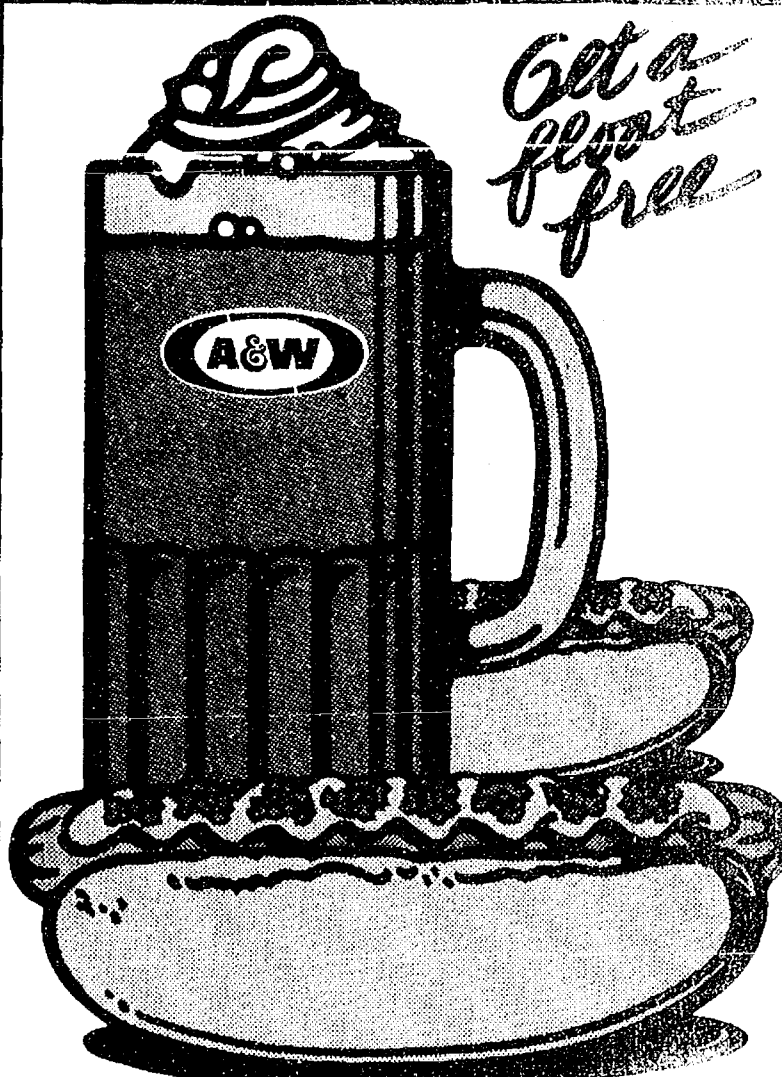
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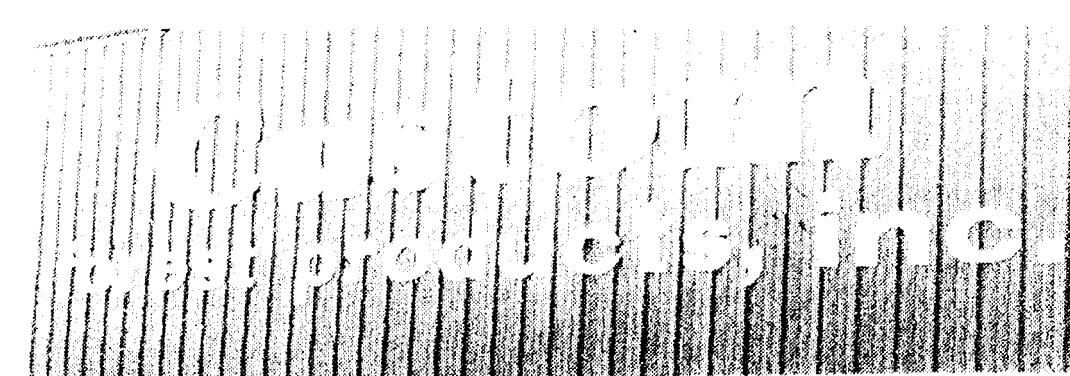
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Paul has lived in Grayling for most of his life and is a Grayling High School graduate. He is married and his wife's name is Rene. Paul enjoys lifting weights and skiing.

To show our appreciation, Paul has been awarded a \$25.00 Gift Certificate for Dinner at the Woodside Dining Room in the Holiday Inn.

NOTICE

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NOTICE

Will You Help?

By Steve Callander
Times Writer

HARRISON — While Rosemary Coon wages a losing battle against a life-threatening liver disease, her friends are fighting the clock.

Relatives and neighbors of Coon in this mid-Michigan town of 1,700 are hoping to raise at least \$50,000 to \$60,000 by April 4 to pay for a liver transplant operation doctors say is needed to keep her alive.

Coon, a 21-year-old Central Michigan University student, has suffered since the age of 6 from chronic active hepatitis, but her condition has worsened in recent weeks.

And the operation she's hoping to undergo at Rochester Methodist Hospital in Minnesota could cost \$150,000 to \$225,000 — a burden the family can't shoulder, even with the help of her father's insurance policy.

"She's a delightful person, has a very positive attitude, is strongly motivated and has an excellent family support system," said Jurine Schellberg, a member of the Medical Social Services Department at the Mayo Clinic.

The operation would be performed by a team of specialists from the Mayo Clinic led by Dr. Ruud Krom — just 22 years after the nation's first successful liver transplant.

"When I was talking to her about transplantation, she asked when it might occur and I said, 'Why?' She said, 'Well, I'm really concerned because my younger brother, Peter, will graduate from high school this spring and I really wouldn't want to have a transplant at the time when he's going to graduate because I don't want to detract from his day of celebration,'" Schellberg recalls. "And I thought, 'Boy, that's a neat gal.'"

A bank account in Coon's name has been established at the First of America Bank in Harrison for those wishing to contribute money to defray the cost of her operation.

"Rosemary's doing great as far as her spirits and everything," said Coon's aunt, Elaine Ecklin, of Harrison. "I don't know how she's held up this long."

Ecklin and others are hoping residents here will raise enough money for the operation — without which her chances of survival are slim, family members say.

"The liver is completely deteriorated now," Ecklin said. "If she doesn't get the operation, it would be 18 months at the very most. I'm hoping the (group's) chances of raising enough money are good. I think the community will pull together. They always come through, one way or another."

"I think the cost (of the operation) is a terribly high figure, but I told the people to think about raising \$10,000 and if we get that, go for \$20,000. The support has been tremendous. Our

phones have been ringing off the hook."

The oldest of five children, Coon has been unwilling to "give into" the disease and still hopes to one day become a teacher, her family says.

Send your tax-deductible contribution to: The Rosemary Coon Liver Transplant Fund, First of America Bank, 231 S. First Street, Harrison, Michigan 48625.



Crawford County Board of Commissioners

March 12, 1985 — Regular Meeting
SYNOPSIS

The March 12th meeting of the County Board convened at 9:30 a.m. All commissioners attended; and nine visitors were present at various times.

IN FORMAL ACTION, THE BOARD:

—Approved the Feb. 28th minutes with one correction.
—Accepted and reviewed ten pieces of correspondence.
—Approved payment of General Fund vouchers in the amount of \$46,083.94. Fish Hatchery bills of \$38.76 and commissioners' salary, per diem and expenses respectively as follows:

Commissioner	Salary	Per Diem	Expenses
Harland	\$200.00	\$310.00	\$ 28.29
Kitchen	150.00	300.00	77.90
Neilson	150.00	220.00	29.52
Mattis	150.00	170.00	22.55
Ruddy	150.00	270.00	13.23
Miller	150.00		
Joyce	150.00	220.00	127.89

—Reappointed Ruth O'Mara to the Housing Rehab. and Community Development Commission.

—Approved payment of \$241.00 to labor consultant Daniel White for assistance with a grievance in the Sheriff Department.

—Referred an application for membership on the PIC Council to the Chamber of Commerce.

—Agreed to notify the Dept. of Corrections that a \$27,300.00 jail renovation project will be begun in the near future.

—Authorized purchase of a new Xerox copier for the Sheriff Dept.

—Agreed to seek recommendations from the Maple Forest and South Branch Township Boards for candidates to serve on the County Planning Commission.

—Were informed of Building Authority approval of renovation plans for offices on the main floor of the courthouse, and authorized construction to begin under the direction of the Building & Zoning Director. Cost is not to exceed \$9,000.00; and much of the labor will be provided by the high school building trades class at no cost.

—Authorized use of Security Transport to return a prisoner from California, as opposed to sending Sheriff Dept. personnel, which would have cost \$1,435.00 plus wages.

—Authorized execution of four agreements necessary to implement the Grant Agreement between Crawford County and the M. Dept. of Commerce for an Energy Market Analysis and Feasibility Study on solid waste incineration. Cost to participating counties for matching funds is not expected to exceed \$2,000.00 each.

—Held a 55 minute executive session to discuss pending litigation.

—Approved compensation at an 06 wage level for the Building & Zoning Deputy during the time when the Building & Zoning Director is on vacation.

—Requested the Cooperative Extension Service secretary from Roscommon to work two days a week in the Crawford C.E.S. office on a 3 month trial basis.

—Approved payment for travel and expenses for the District Court Probation Officer in the amount of \$136.62 for January and February.

REPORTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Planning Commission: A base map with an overlay of all public lands in the county has been provided. A 300 site KOA Campground is being located in Lovells; and an 80 acre parcel of land near Sherwood Forest is being considered as a park site. Board consensus opposed tying any more land to the Military Board through the Grayling Recreation Authority. The DNR Field Office site on U.S. 27 North has been discussed as a possible location for a fairground.

Sheriff's Report:

—The Ahrens case is scheduled for trial on April 1st in Bay City.

—Camp Grayling has been suggested as a storage site for some radioactive training equipment owned by Emergency Preparedness, as the Sheriff preferred it not be stored on the jail complex.

—Because staff is still reduced, dispatchers are accumulating overtime; and one dispatcher is being used for road patrol when necessary.

Brief updates were also given on activities of DPW, Zoning, Housing Rehab. & Community Development, and the Consortium.

IN OTHER BUSINESS, COMMISSIONERS:

—Learned that Straits Corp. will construct a new road from 7 Mile to Billman, relieving some traffic on Billman Road.

—Were informed that M1 Oil of Jackson has added a refinery to their plant, and that the Shell Recovery Plant is now 85% complete. Both will boost area employment.

—Learned that defense contracts for legal representation of indigents had been executed between all 3 courts and 3 attorneys, at a cost of \$1,000.00 per month per court for the period of Feb. 1 through Dec. 31, 1985.

—Learned that Gaylord had been selected as the site for the V.A. Rural Outreach Clinic.

—Received word that a new lawsuit has been filed in U.S. District Court against the county and members of the Sheriff's Dept.

—Decided to obtain an itemized list of charges prior to considering payment of \$1,341.00 in legal expenses and losses incurred prior to joining the county self-insurance program.

—Heard a report on a meeting held with department heads to discuss service reductions that were recommended to deal with an anticipated 1985 deficit of \$50 thousand. Another meeting is scheduled for March 21st.

—Were informed that the Lottery Bureau is still asking for additional space.

Meeting adjourned at 4:02 p.m.

Complete text of official minutes is available in the Office of the County Clerk.

Mary E. Harland, Chairperson

Elizabeth H. Wieland, County Clerk

WHEREAS, the present right-of-way of such road is 66 feet in width and no widening of such right-of-way is required for such improvements,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Crawford County Road Commission will undertake to improve such roadway commencing in 1985: such improvements to consist of the following: Clearing & grubbing, grading, placement of gravel, and bituminous surface.

YEAS: Parker, Cason, Kraus

NAYS: None

Cletis Spears, Beaver Creek Township Supervisor, Art Rosenau and Mr. Walker from Straits Aggregate appeared before the Board regarding relocation of a trail road in the Township.

Engineer-Manager Keir informed the Board of a Vacationland Meeting in Isabella County and a Bridge Inspection Seminar in September. The Board authorized him to attend the Bridge Seminar.

After returning from lunch, a letter from Frederic Township was read on their road improvements for 1985. Commissioner Cason made the following motion, seconded by Commissioner Kraus.

WHEREAS, Frederic Township has made application for improvements in the form of bituminous surfacing on Arrowhead Road, Hiawatha Drive, and May Lake Road, and

WHEREAS, within authority granted to the Board of County Road Commissioners under Act 55, P.A. of 1968.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that a Declaration of Necessity be made concerning above public roads and a public hearing be scheduled at the Township Hall.

AYES: Parker, Cason, Kraus

NAYS: None

All voted in favor, Resolution adopted.

Engineer-Manager Keir summarized the Insurance Pool Meeting he had attended in Lansing.

Ed Holtcamp, Fire Chief of Beaver Creek, appeared before the Board to inform them of the progress on the new numbering system.

There being no further business before the Board, a motion was made and seconded to adjourn.

Joanne Turner
Acting-Secretary

Norman L. Parker
Chairman

Grayling Township Board

Regular Meeting — March 12, 1985

Supervisor Stancil called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Members present: Blaauw, O'Mara, Ashton, Stancil.

Members absent: McLachlan

Others present: Howard K. Guyett, Sr., Mary E. Harland, Steve Jorgenson, Jerry Morford, Peter Huss, Forest Sieger, Don Lange, Denis Moore 1st., Louis, Bob Wagner of N.E.M.C.O.G., Robin Monforton, Michael K. Long, Clare Albright, Ron Wyman, Bob Chappell, Jackie Bonkowski, Wm. Bonkowski, Larry Grant, Barb Sojka.

Motion by Blaauw, support by Ashton, to approve minutes of Feb. 19, 1985 meeting as corrected. (Item 14, O'Mara: absent) Motion carried.

Motion by Ashton, support by Blaauw, to approve treasurer's January and February reports as presented. Motion carried.

Correspondence:

1. Crawford County Sheriff Department January Activities Report is on file.

2. Draft of the Environmental Impact Statement and proposed Land and Resource Management Plan for Huron-Manistee National Forests is on file in Township office.

3. Motion by Blaauw, support by O'Mara, not to list Grayling Township in classified yellow pages telephone directory. Motion carried.

Business: Robert McLachlan now present. (7:50)

4. Bob Wagner, of North East Michigan Council of Governments, reviewed the terms and conditions applicable upon acceptance of a \$7,500. Small Cities Block Grant recently awarded to Grayling Township by the Michigan Department of Commerce for the purpose of conducting a Forest Products Industrial Rail Siding and Transloading Facility Feasibility Study at the intersection of Four Mile Road and the mainline of the Detroit and Mackinac Railway Company, near I-75 in Grayling Township.

Motion by Ashton, support by McLachlan, to authorize Supervisor Stancil to sign agreements necessary to comply with grant regulations and to designate Ken Lashuay, of N.E.M.C.O.G., as the Township of Grayling's "Certifying Officer" for purposes of the Michigan Small Cities Program environmental review requirements.

Roll call: Blaauw, aye; McLachlan, aye; O'Mara, aye; Ashton, aye; Stancil, aye. Motion carried.

5. Compensation Commission vacancies have been advertised with no response. Motion by Blaauw, supported by O'Mara, to re-appoint Jess Birtcher and Clare Madsen, Jr., to two year terms on the Grayling Township Compensation Commission. Motion carried.

6. Supervisor Stancil made the following recommendations regarding the Crawford County Transportation Authority Board:

"That delegates appointed by Township Board serve for limited terms of office, i.e. staggered terms for better representation of Township residents. Also, that once appointed they will serve, as stated in the Interlocal Agreement, dated May 3, 1982, para. 8, Sec. 2, at the pleasure of the participating public agency."

7. Clerk Ashton noted that the Township had previously set the length of term of Township representatives to the Crawford County Transportation Authority Board at 2 years. (Twp. Bd. minutes 6/8/82 Item 15). However, considering the recent changes in administration of the C.C.T.A., at the time the terms were to expire, it had been a general consensus of the Board that it was not advisable to disrupt operations further by filling these positions with people unfamiliar with the situations at the time. The transition seems to be complete and operations running quite smoothly.

Motion by Ashton, support by Blaauw, that one of the Township delegates to the C.C.T.A.B. be a member of the Township Board and the other a member at large from the Township, in keeping with a precedent established for Township representatives to the Grayling Recreation Authority and the Grayling Township Planning Commission. These appointments to be for 2 and 3 year staggered terms. The member at large position to be advertised in the local paper.

Roll call: Blaauw, aye; McLachlan, aye; O'Mara, aye; Ashton, aye; Stancil, aye. Motion carried.

8. Motion by McLachlan, support by Blaauw, to appoint Arnold Stancil and Monica Ashton as interim representatives to the C.C.T.A.B. until the position open can be advertised and appointment made. Also, that they convey to the C.C.T.A.B. the Township Boards displeasure with recent past decisions of the C.C.T.A.B.

Roll call: Blaauw, aye; McLachlan, aye; O'Mara, aye; Ashton, aye; Stancil, aye. Ayes: four; Nays: one, motion carried.

Discussion followed regarding Dial-A-Tide and Airport budgets.

Steve Jorgenson asked if the Township is going to pull out of the Crawford County Transportation Authority, or more specifically, the Airport?

Supervisor Stancil stated there are no plans to do so at this point.

Jackie Bonkowski stated that if research shows we cannot continue funding the airport that other alternatives for funding be pursued, such as a county wide millage.

9. Motion by McLachlan, support by O'Mara, that letters of appreciation for service on the C.C.T.A.B. be sent to Robert Chappell and Howard K. Guyett, Sr.

Roll call: Blaauw, aye; McLachlan, aye; O'Mara, aye; Ashton, aye; Stancil, aye. Motion carried.

10. Building and Zoning Department report was read and placed on file.

11. Monica Ashton reported that the Planning Commission is in the final steps of preparing a Township sign ordinance and hope to take it to public hearing April 30, 1985. Also, that Jon Thompson and herself will be attending a Planning & Zoning Seminar in Mackinaw City on March 13th.

12. Supervisor reported that Board of Review members and himself attended a seminar on Feb. 20th. The Board of Review was in session Mar. 11 and 12th.

The Crawford County Road Commission has passed a resolution to proceed with improvements to AuSable Trail West.

13. Monica Ashton reported that the Grayling Recreation Authority has compiled an information package to be presented to the Military Affairs Board in April. The Authority is seeking a 25 year lease extension at Hanson Hills.

14. Motion by O'Mara, support by Blaauw, to approve bills in the amount of \$6904.16.

Roll call: Blaauw, aye; McLachlan, aye; O'Mara, aye; Ashton, aye; Stancil, aye. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn by McLachlan, support by Blaauw. Motion carried. (9:02)

Respectfully submitted,
Monica S. Ashton, Clerk

SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF
CRAWFORD AuSABLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
CRAWFORD, OTSEGO, & KALKASKA COUNTIES, MICHIGAN
TO BE HELD

April 2, 1985

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that a special election of the electors of Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, will be held in the school district, on Tuesday, April 2, 1985.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.

The following proposition will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the special election:

TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan be increased by 17.9 mills (\$17.90 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for a period of 3 years, 1985, 1986 and 1987, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (16.9 mills of the above increase being a renewal of 16.9 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1984 tax levy and 1 mill being additional operating millage)?

THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

PRECINCT NO. 1

Voting Place - Gymnasium of the Grayling Middle School Building, in the City of Grayling, Michigan. The first precinct consists of all the territory of the former Grayling Public Schools.

PRECINCT NO. 2

Voting Place - Gymnasium Frederic Elementary School. The second precinct consists of the territory of the former Frederic Community School. (All of the territory except Lovells Township).

PRECINCT NO. 3

Voting Place - The Lovells Township Hall. The third precinct consists of the rest of the territory of the former Frederic Community Schools. (Namely Lovells Township, only).

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Joseph V. Wakeley, Treasurer of Crawford County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of February 18, 1985, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Crawford County: 34865 mills, County Building Debt through 1994
75000 mills, Public Transportation through 1987
25000 mills, Community Recreation through 1986
25000 mills, Commission on Aging through 1986

By Beaver Creek Township: NONE
By Grayling Township: NONE
By Frederic Township: 2.00 mills for Fire Protection through 1988
By Lovells Township: .75 mills for Fire Protection, No Limit
.50 mills for Landfill, No Limit
By Maple Forest Township: 2.00 mills for Fire Protection, through 1987
By the School District: None

Joseph V. Wakeley
Treasurer, Crawford County,
Michigan

I, Erma Backenstose, Treasurer of Otsego County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of February 25, 1985, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Otsego County: Library .324
By Otsego Lake Township:
By the School District: None

Erma Backenstose
Treasurer, Otsego County, Michigan

I, Marjorie Dunn, Treasurer of Kalkaska County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of February 20, 1985, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Kalkaska County: None
By Bear Lake Township: 1 mill Fire Dept. 1985-1986
.5 mill Hospital, 1984 thru 1986

By the School District: None
Marjorie Dunn
Treasurer, Kalkaska County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan.

Mary A. Allen
Secretary, Board of Education

Commission On Aging

Senior Power Day

Region IX will be holding a mini Senior Power Day April 3, 1985 at the Lewiston Senior Center. Box lunches will be available. Speakers will include Libby Maynard, Director of the Michigan Office of Services to the Aging and various legislators.

This is an opportunity for your voice to be heard on the problems and issues you are concerned about...Social Security, Medicare, transportation, etc. If we get a group of ten (10) or more interested in going, we can make arrangements for transportation. If you are interested in going, please let us know before March 22, 1985.

We need to let our legislators know Region IX Seniors are concerned about the issues that affect their lives. There will be entertainment by the Lewiston Kitchen Band. Please call the COA office if you wish to go: 348-7123 or 348-8031. The only expense to you will be the cost of the box lunch, which is a \$1.50 suggested donation.

Road Commission Minutes

February 22, 1985

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission was held in their office in Grayling. Chairman Parker presiding. Present were: Commissioners Grover Cason and Gloria Kraus, Engineer-Manager John Keir and Acting-Secretary Joanne Turner.

The minutes of February 8, 1985 were read

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In The Probate Court For
The County of Crawford
File No. 84-6984 CZ
PUBLICATION NOTICE
DECEASED ESTATE
Estate of Margaret J.
Venner, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE: On March 12, 1985 at 2:00 p.m., in the probate courtroom, Village of Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. Emil Kraus Judge of Probate, a hearing was held on the petition of Ann M. Bonk requesting that Ann M. Bonk be appointed Personal Representative of Margaret J. Venner, who lived at 10859 Stephan Bridge Rd., Roscommon, Michigan and who died March 5, 1985; and requesting also that the will of the Deceased dated May 22, 1959 be admitted to probate.

Creditors are notified that copies of all claims against the Deceased must be presented personally or by mail, to both the Personal Representative and to the Court on or before July 12, 1985. Notice is further given that the estate will then be assigned to entitled persons appearing of record. Dated March 18, 1985

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Michael J. Baumgartner
P23694
1980 W. Houghton Lake Dr.
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(517) 366-8455

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In The Circuit Court For
The County of Crawford
File No. 84-6984 CZ
Miami Citizens Financial
Corporation, assignee of
Capital Alliance Corporation,
Plaintiff
vs
K. Curtis Woodcox,
Defendant

David R. Sabin P19822
Attorney for Plaintiff
709 Michigan Avenue
Grayling, Michigan 49738
(517) 348-5588
K. Curtis Woodcox
Defendant
Route 1, Box 1710A
Grayling, Michigan 49738

ORDER TO ANSWER
On November 21, 1984 an action was filed by Miami Citizens Corporation, Plaintiff herein, against K. Curtis Woodcox, Defendant herein, in this Court for an action for claim and delivery. It appears from the records herein filed that the Plaintiff has made diligent inquiry to ascertain the present address of the Defendant and finds to other than that included on the financial transactions entered into with Defendant; that Ken Hey, private process server for Plaintiff, has made reasonable effort to serve the Defendant.

THEREFORE, Plaintiff is permitted to serve process upon the Defendant by publication pursuant to MCR 2.106 stating that an action for recovery of personal property has been filed in the Crawford County Circuit Court and that the Defendant, K. Curtis Woodcox, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before April 15, 1985. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court. Dated: March 19, 1985.

Honorable Alton T. Davis
Circuit Court Judge
-28-4-11-

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In The Circuit Court For
The County of Crawford
Judge William A. Porter
WARBLER'S HIDEAWAY
ASSOCIATION, a Michigan
Non-Profit Corporation,
Plaintiff,
vs.
NANCY LEE BUCK, et al,
Defendants.

File No. 84-921 CK
ORDER TO ANSWER
At a session of said Court, held in the City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, this 21st day of February, 1985.

Present: Hon. William A. Porter, Circuit Judge.
On August 31, 1984, an action was filed by the Warbler's Hideaway Association, Plaintiff, against Nancy Lee Buck, among others, to foreclose an assessment lien filed on July 2, 1984 in Liber 226, Pages 179-181, Crawford County Records.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendant Nancy Lee Buck shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before May 15, 1985. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a decree of foreclosure by default against said Defendant for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this Court, which relief will include sale of said Defendant's lot at Sheriff's foreclosure sale for past due assessments, costs and attorney's fees.

William A. Porter
Circuit Judge
-14-21-28-4-

For additional information, contact UNITED STATES OF AMERICA acting through Farmers Home Administration, Room 209, 1405 S. Harrison Road, East Lansing, MI 48823, Mortgagee.
-14-21-28-4-

"When I sit in darkness, the Lord shall be a light unto me."
Micah 7:8c

Notice of Mortgage

Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 6th day of May, 1983, by THOMAS W. FEATHERSTON and JOYCE M. FEATHERSTON, husband and wife, as Mortgagors, to NBD-ROSCOMMON BANK, Roscommon, Mi. Mortgagee, and recorded on the 16th day of May, 1983, in Liber 215 of Mortgages, Page(s) 510-14, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice the sum of Twenty-three Thousand Six Hundred Eleven and 54/100 (\$23,611.54) Dollars plus interest and other allowable costs; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage; and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, April 4, 1985, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the main front door of the Crawford County Building, Grayling, Mi. 49738 that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said County, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, with the interest thereon at thirteen and 32/100 percent (13.32%), together with all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises described in said mortgage and described as follows, to-wit:

That property located in Crawford County, Township of Beaver Creek State of Michigan, to-wit:

A parcel of land commencing at the SW corner of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 24, T25N, R4W, thence N0°56'E on 1/8 line 330 feet; thence East 200 feet to the point of beginning, thence S 165 feet; thence East 100 feet; thence North 165 feet; thence West 100 feet to the point of beginning being part of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 24, T25N, R2W. Tax No. 20-051-024-004-260-00.

A parcel of land commencing at a point N0°56'E 165 feet and S89°58'E 300 feet from the SW corner of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 24, T25N, R4W for place of beginning, thence N0°56'E 165 feet; thence S89°58'E 100 feet; thence S0°56'W 165 feet; thence N89°58'W 100 feet to the place of beginning; being a part of the SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 24, T25N, R2W; Both parcels are subject to the South 15 feet of the above described parcels are restricted for use as the adjacent half of a 30 foot roadway for use in common by the parties hereto and all other owners or occupants of the South 660 feet of that part of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 24, Lying West of State Trunk Line as shown on survey drawing by RLS No. 5133. Tax Code No. for Second Parcel is 20-051-024-004-280-00.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying amount bid at the sale, plus interest thereon at thirteen and 32/100 (13.32%), and any fees, insurance, taxes or other expenses or unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

Dated: February 20, 1985
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Grayling Township Notice

Applications will be accepted by the Grayling Township Board until 5:00 p.m. on April 3, 1985, from persons interested in serving as a member of the Crawford County Transportation Authority.
Monica S. Ashton, Clerk

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Maple Forest Township Notice

The Maple Forest Township Board will meet on the following dates and times during the fiscal year 1985-86. All meetings will be held in the township hall and begin promptly at 7:30 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month.

April 2, 1985	October 1, 1985
May 7, 1985	November 5, 1985
June 4, 1985	December 3, 1985
July 2, 1985	January 7, 1986
August 6, 1985	February 5, 1986
September 3, 1985	March 5, 1986

Notice of all Special Meetings will be given 18 hours in advance.
Susan Keene, Clerk



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Human Resources Director Chosen at Mercy Hospital

Sue M. Sowulewski has been hired by Grayling Mercy Hospital to fill the position of director of human relations. The position includes managing the per-

sonnel office of the hospital in addition to organizing and directing Mercy Hospital's human resource plans. Ms. Sowulewski has an extensive background in em-

ployee relations. Her previous employment was with Eaton Corporation in Troy, Michigan as employee relations manager. Other positions she has held are personnel specialist with the City of Saginaw and production supervisor with Chevrolet Grey Iron Castings Plant in Saginaw. She holds a masters degree in business management and a bachelors degree in business administration.

According to Gilbert Ruiz, vice president of operations at Mercy Hospital, the major challenge of the new position will be to help develop line managers in understanding and implementing contemporary and cost effective human resource practices within their departments and work units.



Sue Sowulewski

"I think we are very fortunate to have an individual such as Ms. Sowulewski to fill this critical position. Her credentials, work experience, and personality suit her well for the position," said Ruiz.

The "Bunny" Marks the Spot To Win Toronto Trip

The "Bunny" marks the spot this Saturday, March 30, from 12 noon to 5 p.m. as the Grayling Promotional Association launches its first Adult Easter Egg Hunt. Twenty two Grayling merchants are cooperating in the promotion where anyone 18 years of age or over can win a three-day trip to Toronto for two plus \$100 in spending money.

While you're out doing your Saturday shopping, you can look for the Easter Eggs hidden in the stores where the "Bunny" marks the spot. Each egg you find will have the name of a participating merchant inside. Just take the egg to that merchant and he will take your name and enter it in the Grand Drawing. You'll also receive a small gift for just participating in the contest.

You can only find one egg in each participating business and you must take the egg to the business listed inside the egg to be eligible to win. All eggs must be redeemed by 5 p.m. on Saturday to be eligible. The Grand Prize drawing will be held at 6 p.m. at the Grayling Chamber of Commerce office.

Ida Papendick Dies Sunday, March 24

Ida M. Papendick 78, of Grayling died Sunday, March 24, 1985 at Mercy Hospital. Born November 11, 1906 to Clifton and Josephine (Bigham) Newell. She has been a resident of Grayling for the past 61 years, coming here from Fife Lake and married Eugene V. Papendick on November 23, 1925 in Grayling.

Mrs. Papendick was a member of the Order of Eastern Star, Chapter 83, of Grayling, of which she was a past-matron and life member.

Eastern Star Memorial Services will be conducted Wednesday, March 27, at 8:00 p.m. at the Sorenson Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held Thursday, March 28, at 1:00 p.m. at the Sorenson Funeral Home, with the Reverend Jeffery Regan officiating. Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery. Mrs. Papendick's grandsons will be pallbearers.

Survived by her husband, Eugene of Grayling, one daughter, Beatrice Tinker of Frederic, three sons, Clarence of Winchester, Colorado, Clifton (Kip) of Grayling, and Victor of Gurney, Illinois. Four sisters, Zelda Smith, and Inez Wells of Fife Lake, Ruthann John of Aliquippa, Pennsylvania, and Merle Jepsen of Colorado Springs, Colorado. Also 13 grandchildren, and 8 great grandchildren.

The family suggests memorial contributions be directed to either the Michigan Heart Association or the Arthritis Foundation.

Attention

Those women interested in playing slow pitch softball this summer should start organizing their teams now. The Grayling Womens Softball League will be holding their first meeting sometime in April. It is suggested that teams from last year try to establish their team status so that the first meeting of the year will run more smoothly.

Notification of that first meeting will appear in this publication. Those who are interested in playing softball who do not already play on a team should plan to attend the first meeting.

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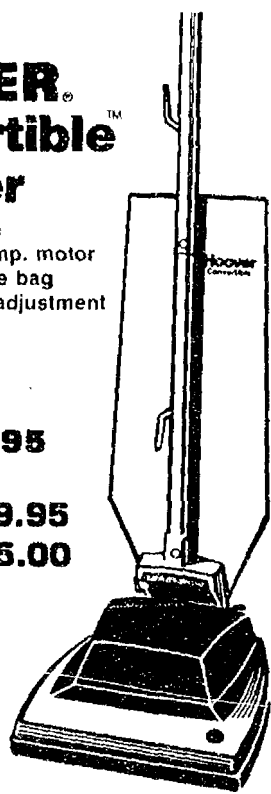
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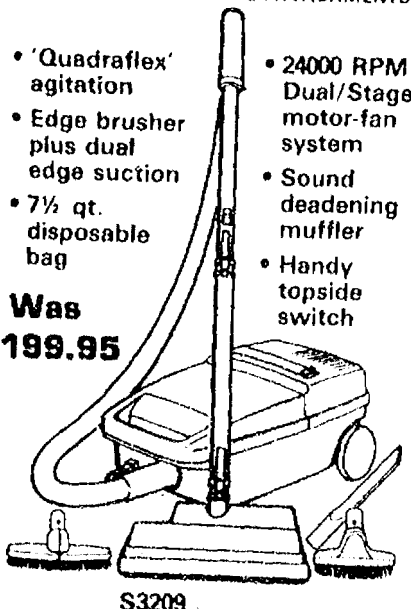
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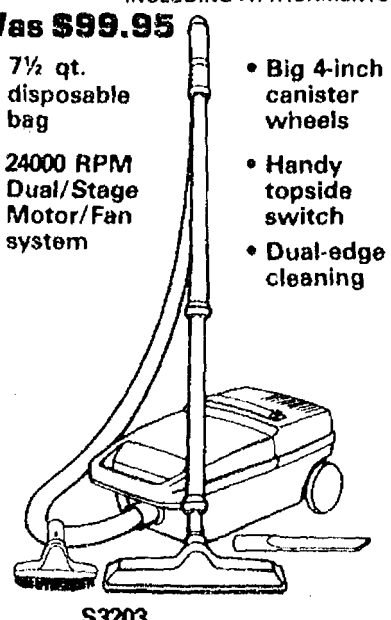
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